

## MURDER CASE ON IN JUNEAU COURT

**WILLIAM ZELMER IS NOW AT  
THE BAR.**

**Work of Securing a Jury Was Begun  
This Morning—Decided Not To  
Take a Continuance—Milwaukee  
Man's Awful Death—Some Other  
News of Wisconsin Cities.**

Juneau, Wis., Feb. 15.—[Special]—The circuit court convened here this morning. District Attorney Hamilton was ready to take up the case of the State of Wisconsin against William Zelder of the town of Lebanon, who is charged with murder, but the defendant, when brought into court, swore to an affidavit for a continuance for a day, the grounds being the absence of material witnesses. The defendant's counsel decided afterwards to waive his right for a continuance—after it was granted, and the task of drawing a jury was begun.

### A SUDDEN DEATH AT SPARTA.

Robert Haddow, a Well-Known Grain Dealer, Passes Away.

Sparta, Wis., Feb. 15.—Robert Haddow, a prominent grain and stock buyer, died suddenly at his home today from neuralgia of the heart.

Menominee, Mich., Feb. 15.—Fred Schale, owner of the Schale block, who was stricken with apoplexy yesterday morning, died at 11:30 to-day. He was 48 years of age and had been a resident of Menominee for 25 years. Mr. Schale was formerly a member of Custer's cavalry.

Antigo, Wis., Feb. 15.—John Dietl, an old resident of this city, died today. He has no relatives in this country. It is said he willed his property to the Sisters of St. Francis of this city.

La Crosse, Wis., Feb. 15.—Mrs. Geo. H. Timmings, wife of General Secretary Timmings of the Y. M. C. A. died of consumption.

### A MURDER AT A CARD GAME.

Jealousy Develops Bad Blood Between Two Half-Breeds.

Spooner, Wis., Feb. 15.—Two brothers, John and Michael Naganup, became involved in a quarrel over cards at Edward Crow's house at Gordon, and in the fight that followed the latter drew a knife and stabbed the former to the heart, killing him instantly. He then would have committed suicide but was prevented. The brothers are half-breeds, and a pretty half-breed girl seems to be the cause of the murder.

### MILWAUKEE MAN KILLED TODAY

His Mangled Remains Are Found in An Elevator Shaft.

Milwaukee, Wis., Feb. 15.—[Special]—Charles Limbrick, aged forty-five years, a laborer, employed about the Blatz Brewery company's premises on Broadway, met death this forenoon in a most shocking manner. He was crushed to death in an elevator shaft, and just how the accident occurred nobody knows.

### FIRST HONORS FOR HINKLEY.

A Mistake in the Award at the Beloit Oratorical Contest.

Beloit, Wis., Feb. 15.—The first honor in the oratorical contest Friday night has been awarded to Harry P. Hinkley, Chicago. The announcement giving first place to Frank B. McNeely, Volga City, Ia., was the result of an error in footing up the judge's figures.

### Shot Himself Through a Lung.

Antigo, Wis., Feb. 15.—Jake Konradi, about 28 years of age and unmarried, attempted suicide by shooting himself through the left lung with a 32-calibre revolver. He will die.

### Itasca Hotel Burned.

West Superior, Wis., Feb. 15.—The Hotel Malvey at Itasca burned. The insurance was \$1,000. The building was valued at \$3,000 and the furniture and bar at \$2,000.

### "Woodley" Is for Sale.

Washington, Feb. 15.—President Cleveland has placed his country residence "Woodley" in the hands of a real estate agent for sale, and it is said he has no intention of spending portions of each winter season here.

### For Poisoning Their Child.

Mason City, Iowa, Feb. 13.—Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lang have been indicted by the grand jury of Franklin county for the murder of their daughter, Leah, who died about three months ago from arsenical poisoning.

### Cirujeda Is Promoted.

Havana, Feb. 15.—Maj. Cirujeda, who was in command of the troops in the engagement in which Antonio Maceo was killed, has been promoted to a colonelcy.

### Indian Famine Fund Swells.

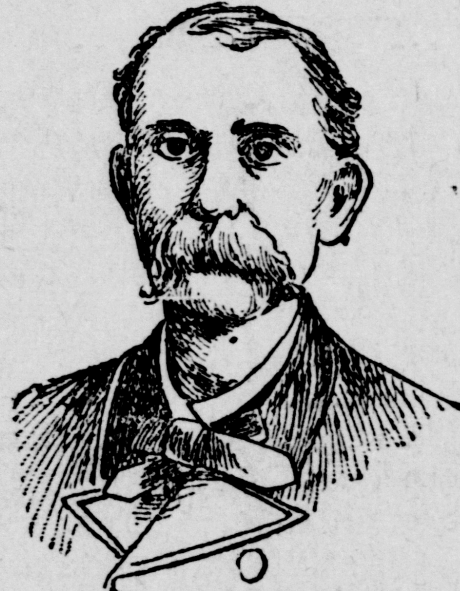
London, Feb. 15.—The Indian famine fund is now nearly £275,000 (\$1,375,000), and is increasing at the rate of £10,000 (\$50,000) daily.

## GOMEZ IS IN DANGER

**Spanish Troops Under General Weyler  
Are Said To Be Closing In  
on Him.**

Chicago, Feb. 15.—A special correspondent of the Chicago Record sends the following dispatch:

Santa Clara, Feb. 12.—It is very difficult to secure definite information of the whereabouts of the Spanish troops, now that they have left the railroad and cities and have plunged into the eastern portion of the province which has long been considered as belonging



GEN. MAXIMO GOMEZ.

to the insurgents. It is known, however, that Gen. Rolas, with half his army, is near Santo Espiritus, and it is supposed that Capt.-Gen. Weyler is near Placetas. This advance of Spain's lines cuts the space between the Santa Clara lines and the trocha squarely in half, and greatly circumscribes the space in which Gen. Gomez may wander at liberty. His rat-trap is now seventy miles long, north and south, and thirty miles wide, east and west. In this territory the two hard fights reported last week occurred.

The recent eastward movement of the troops shows that Weyler knows Gomez is not there, and everything shows that the Cuban general is in the Sierra Rambrunanao, not far east of Placetas. Three thousand insurgents were recently reported near there by the Spanish scouting column.

From Cifuentes, west of Placetas, comes the news that Roban, the insurgent commander of the district, has been raiding near there with 500 men, and that Sagua, with his guerrillas, went out to meet him, but he retreated east and avoided a battle.

Assuming that Gomez is there in the mountains, it must be of interest to know how Weyler is going to get him out. The peaks are very high and steep, and the foothills are broken by hundreds of rich little valleys, each a natural fortress, in which the insurgents have camps, raise quick-growing crops and pasture cattle. These strongholds may be stormed one by one when they are not defended by machine-guns, but the loss of men to the attacking force must be fearful. It is not possible to starve out the rebels, as there is plenty of water, and food grows on every bush. Still Weyler evidently has undertaken the job of getting them out, and will undoubtedly make a strong effort to do so.

### Spanish Auction Of Children.

Havana, Feb. 15.—The papers contain numerous references to an affair which occurred in Pinar del Rio the other day. Some soldiers brought in a number of children of both sexes, from 7 to 14 years of age, whom they had found in the ruins of the "pacified" villages, which were burned by the Spanish troops. The children were sold in the city square at public auction, and bought by various "procureurs of girls and corrupters of boys," as La Lucha's correspondent puts it. The head priest of the city protested to the alcalde, offering the children an asylum. The official sent out and rescued the children from the foul dens where they had been carried. The facts are open and notorious, having been printed in all the Havana papers.

### O'MALLEY IS ACQUITTED.

Chicago Alderman Declared Not Guilty of Colliander's Murder.

Chicago, Feb. 15.—Ald. Thomas O'Malley, with John Santry, was acquitted Saturday night of the charge of being concerned in the murder of Gustav Colliander. The verdict which acquitted the two men of the charge of murder was brought in by the jury at 9:10 o'clock Saturday night. Within an hour after the jurors had retired they took their first ballot. It was unanimous in declaring Ald. O'Malley not guilty. Three minutes later the jury took a ballot on Santry. It stood eight for acquittal and four for conviction. A third ballot gave ten for acquittal and two for conviction; a third ballot gave eleven for acquittal and one for conviction, and just a few minutes before 9 o'clock the final ballot which gave freedom to Santry was taken. It was explained that the jury could have acquitted O'Malley without leaving their seats, and that the principal thing which acquitted Santry was the possibility that Colliander might have been killed by a bullet from the revolver of Officer Michaels.

### Reforms Not Yet Ripe.

Madrid, Feb. 15.—Prime Minister Canovas has issued a statement in which he says it will not be incompatible to apply the reforms in Cuba while Gen. Weyler is in command there, but he adds, the moment to effect the reforms has not arrived.

## WILLIAM P. ST. JOHN IS CALLED HOME

**THE NOTED SILVER LEADER IS  
NO MORE.**

**The End Came Suddenly at His Home  
in New York City Last Night—  
Resigned the Position at the  
Head of a Bank During Cam-  
paign.**

New York, Feb. 15.—William P. St. John, the treasurer of the national democratic committee, and one of the enthusiastic free silver advocates of the country, died suddenly of his home in this city last night.

Until he publicly espoused the



W. P. ST. JOHN.

cause of silver, he was president of the Mercantile National bank. As his ideas on this question did not coincide with those of his colleagues, he tendered his resignation.

### FOR MARCH 4.

Planning at Washington for the Approaching Inauguration.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The arrangements for the inauguration of President-elect McKinley, two weeks from next Thursday, are rapidly nearing completion, and the indications are that in point of brilliancy and attractiveness the ceremonies, the decorations and the festivities incident to inauguration week will be more lavish than those of former years. In the decorations of the ballroom finer results are expected than ever before. About \$13,000 will be spent by the inaugural committee in decorating the main ballroom in the pension building and the private rooms set apart for the use of the presidential and vice-presidential parties. The cost of tickets to the ball has been fixed at \$5 for each person, and \$1 extra if supper is desired.

The decorations of the city promise to be unusually attractive. The reviewing stands, for the first time, will be decorated by the inaugural committee. The president's reviewing stand will be unusually fine.

### CONGRESS OF MOTHERS.

Delegates to the Annual Meeting Will Visit Mr. Cleveland.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The national congress of mothers will on Wednesday begin its fourth annual meeting. Fifteen or twenty women who have by age and experience become qualified to discuss the duties of mothers will read papers during the meetings. No color line will be drawn.

Each day there will be conferences on various subjects that will suggest themselves during the congress and these will be led by various well-known people. The ladies are anticipating a pleasant hour with Mrs. Cleveland, who will receive them Wednesday afternoon.

### Pittsburg Post Burned Out.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—The office of the Post on Fifth avenue was almost entirely destroyed by fire Sunday morning, causing a loss to the paper of about \$60,000, well insured. The loss on the building is not yet known. The Commercial Gazette, next door to the Post, was in imminent danger, but good work by the firemen saved that plant, the only damage being caused by water, which flooded the cellar. The Post will be issued from the office of the Leader until a new plant can be established. The temporary business office of the Post will be on the first floor of the Carnegie building. It is supposed that electric wires are responsible for the conflagration.

### Steel Mills Cut Wages.

Harrisburg, Pa., Feb. 16.—Notice of 10 per cent reduction was posted at the works of the Pennsylvania Steel Company Saturday to take effect March 1. The reduction affects about 3,000 employees. President E. C. Felton said that he hoped the conditions would soon improve so as to warrant a restoration of the old wages. The reduction is one of the results of the collapse of the steel rail pool.

### To Finish the Canal.

Detroit, Mich., Feb. 15.—Charles E. S. Osborne of Sault Ste. Marie, state game and fish warden, has returned from Washington with the information that a company has been organized to complete the canal of the St. Mary's Falls Water Power Company at an expense of nearly \$3,000,000. The new syndicate is getting ready to let contracts this spring for the completion of the canal, with a 60,000-horse-power capacity.

## SUE THE MEMBERS WHO DO NOT PAY

**ODD FELLOWS' INSURANCE CO.  
PLANS.**

**Assignee Fulton Will Commence Action  
as Soon as He Gets the Business  
Arranged and an Inventory Made—  
The Members Are Greatly Disap-  
pointed.**

Milwaukee, Feb. 15.—John L. Fulton, assignee of the Odd Fellows' Mutual Life Insurance company, will take steps immediately to collect claims of the company against lapsed members in order that its obligations may be met.

A complete inventory in the stock of the organization will be taken first, then action against the members in arrears will be begun.

There is much disappointment throughout the state among those who have been connected with the company many years and who have paid their obligations promptly.

Certain claims of widows of members are unsettled, and it is working hardship to those who had depended on the payment.

### THE ARBITRATION TREATY.

Senator Teller Says There Are Defects in the Document.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Senator Teller was asked to furnish the Associated Press with a statement of his reasons for seeking a postponement of the Anglo-American arbitration treaty, and in response prepared a signed article, in the course of which he says: "Personally, I am decidedly in favor of the arbitration of all questions that can be arbitrated, but this is no reason why I should join in ratifying a treaty that lacks the greatest essential of a treaty—certainty as to what it means. There is no threatened danger of war confronting us. We have no occasion for haste, and nothing can be gained by premature action. When the treaty is put in proper form, as I hope it will be, it will be ratified. I regret that the agreement has not been considered in open senate, so that the people could see the defects in it."

### REVOLT HIS THEME.

Sensational Letter Written by Head of Knights of Labor.

Denver, Feb. 15.—J. R. Sovereign, grand master workman of the Knights of Labor, has written a sensational letter to the Industrial Advocate. He declares secret revolutionary societies, known as the Iron Brotherhood and the Industrial army, are being organized in every part of the country, with their members leagued together to resort to civil war as a means of obtaining "remedies for the populace" which they cannot secure by the ballot.

### American Castings in England.

London, Feb. 15.—Wolfe Barry, president of the Institute of Civil Engineers, warns British manufacturers that they must wake up to the fact that American castings are being used in the new underground tunnels of London. Mr. Barry says: "A decade ago the idea of Americans exporting castings to England would have been laughed at. Now it is a fact. I do not believe that the United States can seriously compete, but, nevertheless, the thin edge of the wedge is a cutting one, and must be respected."

### General Jo Shelby Dead.

Kansas City, Feb. 15.—Gen. J. O. Shelby died at his country home, eight miles from Adrian, Mo., at 4 o'clock this morning. The end came peacefully. The patient had been unconscious since early Monday morning and had been slowly dying since that time. At a consultation of physicians last night it was given out that death must come before morning and the family had been constant watchers at the bedside of the dying general.

### Nansen May Try Again.

London, Feb. 15.—It is considered possible that Dr. Nansen will soon start on an Antarctic expedition. Mr. Henniker Heaton and others have promised to handsomely contribute towards the expenses, but the matter is in abeyance pending the decision of the government in regard to sending a government expedition. If the latter step is not adopted, then the scientists will take the matter up.

### Colombia Wants a Navy.

Panama, Feb. 15.—The government of Colombia has voted 6,000,000 francs for the purchase of more warships. The navy now consists of only one cruiser, the Cerdoba, which was recently fitted out in New York and which turned out to be a failure; the gunboats Lapopa and Bayaca, and the revenue cutters Narino and Hercules.

### Scientists to Make Collections.

San Diego, Cal., Feb. 15.—The schooner H. C. Wallberg sailed to-day with A. W. Anthony, an ornithologist; R. C. McGregor of Stanford university; T. S. Brandegee, a botanist, and five others for a six months' cruise in the gulf of lower California and lower Mexican waters after rare birds, animals and fish for the Smithsonian institution and for private collections.

## CANEA IS BOMBARDED

**Governor Takes Refuge on a Russian  
Warship—European Powers  
Warn Greece.**

Canea, Island of Crete, Feb. 15.—The Christians occupied the heights surrounding the town Sunday morning and began to bombard Canea. As soon as the firing commenced Prince George Berovitch, governor of Crete, with thirty recently enrolled gendarmes, board-



KING OF GREECE.

ed the Russian man-of-war. The Greek consul also embarked on board another vessel. The Turks from the fortress replied to the fire of the Christians. It is reported that the fighting was attended with bloodshed.

The foreign consuls embarked on board the various vessels lying off the town of Canea. The Christians at Heraklion are also hurrying on board the ships.

The village of Halepa, the residence of the consuls, was in a state of great trepidation Saturday, owing to the approach of the insurgents, who, joined, it is stated, by Greek volunteers, assembled in great force on Akrotiri peninsula, made an advance in the neighborhood. The Hellenic flag, hoisted on the arrival of the Greek warships, was displayed on the summit of an adjoining hill. All of the members of the families of the consular agents were transferred to the warships. The Greek consulate was garrisoned, with an impressive show of force, by native Christians and sailors, in anticipation of an attack from the Mohammedans from the vicinity of Canea. The insurgents advanced toward the isthmus connecting the peninsula with the main land and engaged the Turkish artillery throughout the afternoon.

The Mohammedans at Canea were in a state of extreme excitement, and owing to rumors of an intended attack upon the consulates at Canea, special precautions were taken at the offices of the British consul. The archives were packed and ready for removal before daylight. About 400 bashibazouks and a company of regulars hurried out from Canea and attacked the Christians. The Christians were finally repulsed and pursued into the interior of the peninsula. Subsequently the bishop of Canea invoked the aid of the consuls with a view to the establishment of an armistice, but practical difficulties were in the way of intervention.

It is reported that the Christians have succeeded in making a stand, and that they now maintain their position.

### Foreign Ministers in Conference.

Athens, Feb. 15.—The foreign ministers have met at the French legation for the purpose of considering the situation. It is believed that they decided to address further representations of the Grecian government, which replying to their recent statements, declared that the government, having full knowledge of the situation, had not hesitated to assume the whole responsibility for the measures it had taken.

### Turkish Vessel Fired On.

Constantinople, Feb. 15.—A Greek warship on Saturday fired on a Turkish vessel conveying soldiers from Candia to Canea. As a result of Friday's occurrence the ambassadors decided to recommend to their respective governments that the powers occupy Canea, Retimo and Candia for the purpose of affording protection to the Mussulmans.

### London Times Warns Greece.

London, Feb. 15.—The Times in an editorial warns Greece to the effect that that country must not think that it can count on the support of the powers to wage war. With her limited liability, her dependence on the powers makes it necessary for her to follow their advice and avoid provoking a conflict that she is incapable of sustaining alone.

### To Open Masonic Home.

Warren, Ohio, Feb. 15.—The new Masonic Home at Springfield, Ohio, will be opened April 1. John M. Stull of Warren, who is president of the board of trustees, says a meeting will be held Feb. 23 in Cincinnati to consider applications for admission to the institution.

### Minister Ransom Called Home.

City of Mexico, Feb. 15.—United States Minister Ransom is on his way back to North Carolina, having been summoned by a telegram announcing the serious illness of his wife. The legation is left in charge of Secretary Sepulveda.

## DUNLOP MUST DON A CONVICT'S GARB

**CHICAGO PUBLISHER MUST  
SERVE SENTENCE.**

**Supreme Court Affirms the Federal  
Court's Finding and Sentence, and  
a Presidential Pardon Is Now the  
Only Hope—"Dispatch" Man Loses  
the Case.**

Washington, Feb. 15.—Unless the president interferes Joseph R. Dunlop must go to prison for two years and also pay a fine of \$5,000.

Dunlop is the publisher of the Chicago Dispatch, and was arrested for publishing indecent advertisements. He was convicted and sentenced to pay a fine and serve two years by the judge of the federal court. His attorneys then took the case to the supreme court of the United States and the decision handed down today affirms the federal court's decision and sentence.

A pardon by the president is now his only hope.

### RUSH APPROPRIATION BILLS.

Not Much More Time Is Left To Complete More Urgent Legislation.

Washington, Feb. 15.—In two weeks from Thursday the present congress expires by limitation, and from this time forward all things legislative will have to give way to the appropriation bills, which must be passed before the final adjournment. Although the house has disposed of ten of the thirteen regular appropriation bills, two of the three which remain—the sundry civil and the general deficiency—are those containing the miscellaneous items which provoke the most bitter opposition. Speaker Reed and Mr. Cannon expect to take advantage of the fact that today is suspension day, and put through the sundry civil bill under the suspension of rules. The bill was used Saturday as basis for an attack by the Democrats on the appropriations made by this congress, which Mr. Sayers and Mr. Dockery estimated would aggregate \$1,045,000,000. Once the gate was opened, the debate naturally drifted into politics. The relative merits of the McKinley and Wilson bills as revenue producers were attacked and defended. The income tax decision and Justice Shiras' change of position came in for a share of attention, and Mr. De Armond (Mo.) concluded the day with a brilliant plea for struggling Cuba, which won from the house shouts of approval.

As much of the present week as may be necessary will be given to the consideration of appropriation bills by the senate. Notice has been given that the Allen Pacific railroad resolution would be called up by Senator Thurston during the morning hour today, and Senator Chandler has given notice of a speech on bimetalism for the same date. Senator Lodge has secured a unanimous agreement for a vote upon the acceptance of the conference report on the immigration bill at 4 o'clock Wednesday.

It is impossible to say how much of the senate's time during the week will be given up to the consideration of the arbitration treaty in executive session, but all the indications are unfavorable to any prolonged discussion on this subject, and the chances now seem to be that not to exceed one or two more sessions will be devoted to it.

It is barely possible that it may not be taken up again at all, but the probabilities are that it will some time during the week be formally postponed until after the 4th of March.

### SPEAKER REED'S PLAN.

Will Appoint but Two Committees at the Extra Session.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Speaker Reed has practically determined that he will not appoint the full list of committees when congress meets at the extra session. Only the ways and means, mileage and accounts committees will be appointed, so that the house can do nothing else but pass the tariff bill. When the bill has passed the house and gone to the senate the house will adjourn for three days and it will, continue to take these three-day adjournments till the senate has acted and sends the bill back to the house for the appointment of a conference committee. Speaker Reed does not want the house to do anything else except pass the tariff bill, and many leading senators approve his course and have told him that if the house is practically not in session the passage of the bill in the senate will be facilitated.

### Wants Odd Fellows Home.

Rockford, Ill., Feb. 15.—The Rockford lodge of Odd Fellows will make a strong effort to secure the location here of the Old Folks' Home which the order will establish in this state, the propositions for which must be in by Feb. 25. The order requires a tract of land not less than 300 acres, in a good location, and expects to have at least 1,000 occupants.

### Epidemics Raging in Cuba.

Havana, Feb. 15.—ellow fever and smallpox are raging in the city, with fatal results, and 240 deaths, mostly of colored persons, were reported last week. The official report gives a smaller figure than this, but there is a general knowledge of the wide extent of the two diseases.



HAND AND HEAD WORK  
BOTH DEMANDED

## HIGH SCHOOL MANUAL TRAINING DEPARTMENT.

Cooking and Sewing Occupy the Attention of Girls During Forty Minutes of Each Day—Boys Trained in Drafting and Wood and Metal-Working.

Sixty girls study cooking and sewing.

Forty boys work their way from saw to mortise-joints to dove-tails—from three-eighth drills to engine planers.

All these in the new High school. The manual training department is in full swing.

It occupies the entire lower floor of the building and has become recognized as one of the most important branches of High school work.

What this work is can be told best by following a class through their day's routine.

There are five periods a day devoted to manual training work. Fifteen girls file out of the assembly room at 11 o'clock every morning and troop down to the basement. Miss Ida McLouth lines them up in front of four gas stoves that testify to the generosity of the New Gas Light Co. Cupboards full of dishes and utensils against the wall show the interest of the Lowell Hardware Co.

## Their Work All Practical.

What little theory there is about the cooking school work has practice directly in view. For example the theme for the day may be spice cake. Miss McLouth talks practically and plainly upon the difference between spice cake and other cakes, what special details need to be looked after to insure its excellence and illustrates her talk with practical demonstrations. The next day her class review her teaching and go into the spice cake business for themselves.

They mix molasses, butter, sugar flour and as they stir, mix and season the teacher walks about the table watching them closely.

It speaks well for the effectiveness of her training that the product of the class this term has been uniformly good. The percentage of "accidents" has been smaller than in the average home kitchen.

The table round which the cooking class work is ingeniously arranged to offer accommodation for sixteen pupils. The top is divided into sixteen spaces and there are sixteen drawers, each its outfit of kitchen utensils. Supplies are kept in the pantry close at hand, a new flour bin just installed being the work of the boys' manual training department.

Miss McLouth's sewing class comes

in the afternoon. Her pupils are put through a graded exercise that runs from hemming and button hole making up to doiley work. Two Wheeler & Wilson No. 9 sewing machines give the pupils training in this important detail. Each girl has a box in a rack at the side of the room in which her work is kept. A set of graded samples has just been finished by the class and sent to the Fond du Lac school for use in the manual training department.

If four classes of girls came down stairs at once they would not make the noise of the one class of ten boys who make their way to the rafting room for the last period of the forenoon. All the boys begin in the drafting room, for the rule of manual training departments is "first plan, then draw what you plan, then make what you draw."

In the drafting room the boys are put through a graded course in mechanical and geometrical drawing, running from the simplest angles to working designs of bookcases, desks and machinery. L. D. Brode, formerly in charge of the manual training department of the University of Illinois, looks after them in spite of the pressure of his other work as teacher of mathematics.

## Boys in a Carpenter Shop.

The wood working room where the boys get their first of the practical side of the manual training depart-

ment is a haven of joy for pupils of mechanical bent. There are three big work benches in the center of the room made by the pupils. A handsome mechanic's bench made by Henry F. Heuer of Chicago, is an important part of the equipment. Each pupil has a station at one of the work benches and has a set of planes, saws, chisel, squares, etc., while a big wood lathe made by W. H. Vanderhoort of Urbana, Ill., will give opportunity for practice in more elaborate work.

Covered from shoulder to toe with brown aprons the boys are put at work squaring a rough block. The next day they learn to make that square block into an octagon; then with a plane into a cylinder. Chisel work follows, fitting them for the succeeding lessons in simple and more elaborate joining.

The machine shop in the next room has an equipment that would put to blush many of the established institutions. Two machine lathes and a power planer presented by Victor P. Richardson, occupy the center of the floor, and a full equipped forge from the B. F. Sturtevant Machine Co., Boston, is in one corner of the machine shop. Machine shop work is the last branch taken up in the boys' department, and the class that goes in there this year was at work in the carpenter shop last year.

## Run a Year Without Cost

Manual training as a department of

the high school, has been in existence for about ten months. In January, 1896, the work was commenced, with the understanding that it should be conducted during the year without expense to the city. The state aid for this department is \$250 annually. Out of this sum the instructor was paid and material and tools purchased, leaving unexpended about \$20. As the instructor was present but two days of each week, the work done was not all that could be desired, but it was a beginning, and one that netted the city a clear gain of \$125 in tools and cash.

At the beginning of the present school year, James Harris, feeling that the work of manual training in the high school should be encouraged and should be placed on a practical working basis, made a proposition to the board which the board accepted unanimously. He guaranteed to the board that \$500 in material and equipment would be forthcoming, provided that the board would expend a like sum for this work.

## Aided By Liberal Friends.

This means an actual expenditure to the city of \$250.

As the state aid this year for the department will be \$250 Mr. Harris very wisely determined it was best to ask public spirited citizens to aid him in this work. A subscription paper was started and the following of citizens

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PROF. VOSBURG SAYS  
"LET ALL OBEY"

## PREACHED AT THE BAPTIST CHURCH YESTERDAY.

Obedience a Necessary Means of Grace, He Said—Rev. V. E. Southworth on the "Real Woman and the Lady"—Dr. Halsey Talks of Reserved Forces—Rev. E. H. Pence's Sermon

An unusually large congregation, greeted Prof. H. J. Vosburg at the Baptist church yesterday morning. His text was 1st Sam. 15-22, "Behold to Obey is Better Than to Sacrifice." Saul had been disobedient, Samuel brings him to task about it. He excuses the people by saying that they were sacrificing to God. Mary today would be obedient by going through certain forms.

Obedience is that which is most necessary. The prophets taught obedience, Christ taught it.

Obedience is still necessary. Science teaches that we live under law. Every sane man realizes that he must obey the laws of nature. There ought to be obedience in the home, in business, in society, in politics.

Why do people obey the natural laws and disobey the moral laws?

Because the natural laws give an immediate penalty but the moral law waits a while.

The moral laws are of greater importance than the laws of nature. Obedience seems harsh but it is a means of grace. How did the athlete become so strong? By obeying laws. Heaven with all its forces, is the friend of the obedient. Obedience is the test of our manliness.

We ought to be teachable like the child, but when we become men we should not be disobedient as children are. A man becomes a man when he realizes that he lives in a realm of law. We are unworthy of the name of man if we are disobedient and child-like in our actions.

Obedience is a proof of freedom. If we love to choose the right, it is obedience to that higher law of right doing. How shall we attain this? By having a new heart and then walk in the way of obedience. God will guide us in the way of obedience if we will but let him.

The Y. P. S. C. E. meeting was led by William Rose, the topic being: "What Our Denomination is Doing." It is increasing in numbers tremendously. In 1784 there was one Baptist to every 94 of the population. In 1890 one to every 22. Out of 67,000,000 we have 3,750,000. We are teaching that the bible is the only rule of faith and practice. We insist upon a regenerated membership. We insist upon obedience to the ordinances without substituting anything else

else. We must give the gospel to the world as we have received it. We are using the various agencies to develop and present these things to the world. Prof. Vosburg gave a very interesting talk upon christian education.

The evening sermon was based upon Heb. 11-13. Topic, "A Man with an Idea." For efficiency in life we must have the near look and the far look. The latter is of the greater importance. We must look at the things of the present, but we must have an idea dominating our lives. Rules are good, but we must have an idea to inspire. A mother is not made by machinery, but it is a woman who realizes that maternity is a gift of God.

Good intentions, without an idea to direct us, is useless. Great ability or genius will be a failure if not directed by a dominating idea. If a man is a benefit to others he must have a dominating idea.

In 1827 a little convention of Swiss Anna-Baptists met and declared that there ought to be a complete separation of church and state and men have complete liberty of conscience. They were ridiculed, but see where that idea, started by those few Baptists, has gone to. The great nations on earth have adopted it. If you would work out a character, you must have a governing idea.

Cheerish some great idea, and it will lead you into a grand and glorious life here and hereafter.

Professor Vosburg will preach again next Sunday.

## AT THE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

Rev. E. H. Pence Spoke on the Subject of "Whetting the Edge."

At the Presbyterian church, Rev. Mr. Pence talked of "The Whetted Edge, or Economy in Moral and Vital Energy," and chose for his text these words of Solomon, "He that cleaveth wood shall be endangered thereby. If the iron be blunt, and he not whet the edge, he must put to more strength; but wisdom is profitable for direction."—Ecclesiastes 10:9-10.

The ax was the forerunner of civilization in the western states, and in point of fact of civilization everywhere. Take it out from the list of pioneers' instruments, and the western progress of civilization must have been very sensibly checked. Solomon says that the sharper the edge of the tool, the less the power of swing needful to do its work. Given a sharp axe and an ordinary man will fell more trees in a day than a Samson with a blunt one will in two or three. And given the spirituality which cleaves quickly to the heart of things, pushing right through them, does not lag at obstacles and an ordinary uncultured person may get more out of life than the greatest scholar living without it. We must get our souls whetted fine at God's whetstone, and then keep them sharp by praying—praying more trustfully and more devotedly. Get

the thought of God's closeness worked into your thinking. Read, re-read and read again, then ponder each verse in that 139th Psalm. Let some of eternity's pressure push down into the horizon of your feeling and your thought. Your usefulness in helping fellowmen lies largely in the ability of your soul to cleave your private burdens. You can economize vital, moral, yes physical, nervous and even muscular energy only when your soul does its work with a keen edge. With our souls whetted on God's whetstone, we go to the most menial task cleaving it to find it is a blessing.

Mr. Waddell led the Christian Endeavor meeting, the subject being "What Our Denomination is Doing." Church government and the work of the various boards were discussed. A letter from a missionary in Africa whom the society helps to support, was read.

## AT THE ALL SOULS CHURCH

Rev. V. E. Southworth Talks of the "Real Woman and the Lady"

Rev. Southworth's subject Sunday evening was "The Real Woman and the Lady." The following extracts are taken from his address:

"This real woman has too much self respect to accept special considerations on account of the traditional 'weakness' of her sex. She demands exemption from the work of the world."

"She scornfully repudiates the idea that by constitution and nature she is to man what the clinging vine is to the oak tree. And I most emphatically agree with her, 'my dear, sweet, angelic, old fashioned mother and grandmother to the contrary notwithstanding.'"

"The manner in which the average woman grows up—with a 'protected' life, with 'papa' to pay the bills, and later with 'hubby' to pay the bills, always looking to some man for the wherewithal, being too delicate, too tender a creature to face life on equal terms with her brothers. I say this growing up in such a dependent way has produced as its almost direct result much that is most offensive in our modern social life. It has undervalued woman; made her the special victim of the family physician and the druggist; she is weak and overstrung and given to spasms of nervous irritability or deep dejection; a creature of moods abnormally sensitive, with a heightened imagination, all because men have persisted in telling her that she is an angel, a goddess, a frail creature to be 'protected' by her rougher mate."

"But thank heaven the day has begun to dawn when this ladylike descendant upon masculine attention has discovered that she has been 'protected' to death, and mostly to gratify not her own nature, but the vanity and appetites of her two amiable lord and master."

In closing, Mr. Southworth said the real woman was weary of all this "po-

etry" about "gentler and finer natures." "She is weary of being simply a domestic auxiliary to the World's life." "She sees the folly of this talk about her feminine graces and charms and is ready to sacrifice some of them, if need be, for the sake of being no longer dependent."

## AT THE COURT STREET CHURCH

Rev. Dr. Halsey Spoke on the Subject of Reserved Forces.

"Reserved Forces" was the subject discussed by the pastor at Court Street church yesterday morning. The text was from sentences used by the Prophet Haggai inciting the children of Israel to more effective work. "Ye have sown much and bring in little, ye eat and have not enough," etc.

The words of the old prophet proclaim practical truths that are very applicable to the church in the present age. Temporal prosperity is frequently accompanied with moral and religious poverty. This is true, because like the children of Israel in olden times our reserve forces are not utilized. While it is true that we should husband our strength and give our bodies and minds needed rest, it is equally true that there is but little danger of our doing too much. In fact conservatism is the weakness of the church today. The Christian business or professional man should not be afraid to let the world know, both in business and social life, that he is a Christian. If this was the rule and not the exception, there would be a revival of old time honesty, and New England puritanism would no longer be a byword. We are too conservative in our home life and in our church life. Modesty and dignity too often crowd out friendliness and good fellowship.

The sermon was intensely practical, and filled with helpful suggestions.

The topic in the evening was "Does God Help?"

Miss Salisbury of Chicago, a talented soprano singer, assisted in the song service. Her solo gave evidence of a rich voice of wide range, and showed high cultivation. Miss Salisbury has a prominent part in the new opera to be given soon.

Cor. E. O. Kimberley sang at the Presbyterian church yesterday.

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## New Organdies.

Genuine French, in lovely floral designs—received Friday last; extra fine quality. There are imitations, but none like them in the city. All in dress lengths, no two alike.

## Something New.

Silk and wool mixtures in lovely mottled, iridescent effects, 44 inch—\$1 25. They are beautiful novelties medium weight, and will wear. The name is Polaris.

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to some, but we are selling now from three to ten Cloaks every day. They are certainly low.

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Breathless, excited, she rushed into the store, dashed up to a clerk and in broken utterances declared that she had paid too much for a certain kind of goods; that she could buy identically the same thing elsewhere at five cents a yard less. Our clerk, with face illuminated by a Utopian smile, pleasantly remarked that possibly the article in question was better quality, and asked the lady to make a fair comparison before turning us down. The next time that lady came to our store she was in better spirits, and took pains to find the clerk with whom she had had the above conversation. After apologizing for being so hasty the last time she was in, she informed our clerk that she had made it a point to compare notes, much to her satisfaction, as she always thought we kept the quality up. It was just as our clerk said, the quality of our goods was very much better and while only five cents more was worth fully twenty-five cents more as far as the wear was concerned. It pays to get good quality when it costs but a slight advance over the inferior, and in many cases no more, at The Big Store.



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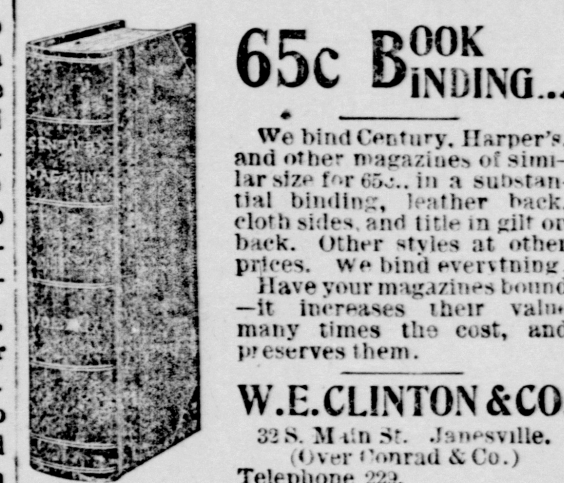
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## THE OVERFLOW OF LOCAL NEWS.

## HAND AND HEAD WORK

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were found to heartily in favor of this form of education and ready to aid it by their subscriptions:

James Harris, Geo. M. McKee, E. W. Lowell, R. B. Hedges, John Thoroughgood, C. S. Jackman, A. P. Lovejoy, J. M. Shackleton, New Gaslight Co., Victor P. Richardson.

No one who has been approached on the subject has had anything but words of approval for this work and many others have promised to aid it in the future. It has been impossible to see but a very few of our citizens but the hearty accord of all who know of the work and its purposes is cause for congratulation. The work as carried on at present includes sewing and cooking for girls, and drafting, wood working, and iron working for boys.

The Teachers in Charge.

Miss Ida McLouth the supervisor of drawing in the graded schools has charge of the domestic arts department and A. D. Brode the teacher of mathematics has charge of the work for boys. Each of these are specialists in the lines of work that they teach and the work has been begun with enthusiasm and with promise of excellent results.

There may be some misunderstanding as to the purposes of this work in our high school. It is not as some have imagined to teach a trade. True it is that pupils who have been properly trained in manual training schools and if much easier to learn a trade and to rise to the top in the trade of their choice because of the skill acquired, yet the purpose is purely educational. We hope to train the mind through the process of instruction. We believe that the mind may be well trained by the practical work given in the shop or in the cooking room as well as by work given in the text books. The rule for the manual training work in all its varieties is first think and then act and think as you act. When any operation becomes mechanical it loses then its educational value. The difference between the manual training of the schools and the routine work of a shop lies in this fact.

## ENJOYED A MOONLIGHT RIDE.

Janeville Young People Were Miss Florence Turner's Guests.

A party of Janeville young people were the guests of Miss Florence Turner Saturday evening, and enjoyed a moonlight ride to the home of her uncle, A. D. Williams, near Milton. The guests were:

Misses—Alice Fenton, Kathryn Fenton, Marie Benis, J. S. Spelman, Vinnie Crall, Mabel Palmer, Florence Turner.

Messrs—Ray Turner, Fred Palmer, Earl Coon, Leonard Mathews, Ray Abbott, Fred Decker.

## Show Cases

We have a lot of show cases all sizes and prices. If you want one at a most reasonable price come and see us. They must be sold. Lowell.

## FOR RENT.

FOR RENT—Seven room house on Cornelia street, near 1st. Inquire at 1st Cornelia St. In good repair, nicely located.

FOR RENT—Seven room house; city and city water; with good barn. Rent cheap. Dr. J. L. Brown.

## FOR SALE.

FOR SALE, at a bargain—F. H. Kemp's new house, at the Second ward. D. Conger.

FOR SALE—Two boilers suitable for factory work. Inquire at this office.

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FOR EXCHANGE—Ten acres of fine land near city. What have you to trade? D. Conger, room 7 Lippin block.

## WANTED.

WANTED—A bright, energetic young man, capable to establish an agency in city of Chicago, who can sell coffee and tea house. Address X, Gazette.

NOTICE—If you have Western or Southern lands, improve them, or if you have personal property of any description list it with me and I will dispose of it for you. D. Conger.

WANTED—A hundred pounds of good wip-lins, at the Gazette office.

WANTED—Salesman, salary paid weekly, experience unnecessary; permanent. Brown Brothers Co., Chicago.

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STATE OF WISCONSIN—CIRCUIT COURT FOR ROCK COUNTY, Allen E. Rich, plaintiff, vs. Frank E. Behrendt, Eva S. Behrendt, his wife, Elmer E. Caldwell, Irene E. Caldwell, his wife, Arnold E. Shumway, Edwin A. Coles and L. C. Lytle, defendants.

The State of Wisconsin to the said defendants and each of them: You are hereby summoned to appear within twenty days after the service of this summons, exclusive of the day of service, and defend the above entitled action in the court aforesaid; and in case of your failure to do so, judgment will be rendered against you according to the demand of the complaint; and a copy of this writ is herewith served upon you.

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CIRCUIT COURT ROCK COUNTY—Lucius Schroeder, Martha Reiss and Oscar Schroeder, plaintiffs vs. James Whittaker, defendant.

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## PRICES IN JANEVILLE MARKETS.

Quotations On Grain and Produce as Reported For the Gazette.

The following figures show the range of prices in the local market.  
Flour—Good to best Patent, \$1.10 to \$1.25 per sack.  
BUCKWHEAT FLOUR—25c per 10 lb. sack.  
WHEAT—Fair to best quality 65 @ 75c  
BUCKWHEAT—30 @ 35c, per 62 lbs.  
RICE—At 37 @ 40c per 60 lbs.  
BARLEY—Ranges at 18c @ 24c according to quality.  
JOHN—Old, 18 @ 20c; new, per 75 lbs., 14 @ 15c  
OATS—white, 13c @ 15c.  
CLOVER SEED—\$3.00 @ \$3.75 per bushel.  
TIMOTHY SEED—8c @ \$1.00 per bushel.  
HAY—Per ton, \$7.00 @ \$7.50.  
STRAW—\$4.00 @ \$4.50 per ton.  
MEAL—50c per 100 lbs. Boiled \$1.00  
FEED—30c @ 60c per 100 lbs. \$10.00 per ton.  
BRAN—45c per 100 lbs.; \$3.00 per ton.  
MIDDLINGS—50c per 100, \$3.00 per ton.  
POTATOES—20c @ 25c per bushel.  
DUTCH—16c @ 18c  
ROOTS—17c @ 18c per dozen.  
POULTRY—Turkeys, 9 @ 10c chickens, 6 @ 7.  
WOOL—11c @ 12c for washed; 10c @ 11c for unwashed.  
HIDES—Green, 5c @ 6c; dry, 8c @ 9c.  
FELTS—Range at 15c @ 45c each.

## Chicago Board of Trade.

Chicago, Feb. 13.—The following table shows the range of quotations on the board of trade today:

ARTICLES.	High.	Low.	Closing.
			Feb. 13 Feb. 11
Wheat—Feb.	74 1/2	72 1/2	73 1/2
May	75 1/2	73 1/2	74 1/2
July	76 1/2	74 1/2	75 1/2
Sept.	77 1/2	75 1/2	76 1/2
Corn—Feb.	28 1/2	26 1/2	27 1/2
May	29 1/2	27 1/2	28 1/2
July	30 1/2	28 1/2	29 1/2
Sept.	31 1/2	29 1/2	30 1/2
Oats—Feb.	17 1/2	15 1/2	16 1/2
May	18 1/2	16 1/2	17 1/2
July	19 1/2	17 1/2	18 1/2
Sept.	20 1/2	18 1/2	19 1/2
Perk—Feb.	7 1/2	6 1/2	6 3/4
May	7 3/4	6 3/4	6 3/4
July	7 5/8	6 5/8	6 5/8
Sept.	7 7/8	6 7/8	6 7/8
Lard—Feb.	3 1/2	3 1/4	3 1/2
May	3 3/4	3 1/4	3 3/4
July	3 5/8	3 1/4	3 5/8
Sept.	3 7/8	3 1/4	3 7/8
Shirts—Feb.	4 1/2	4 1/4	4 1/2
May	4 3/4	4 1/4	4 3/4
July	4 5/8	4 1/4	4 5/8
Sept.	4 7/8	4 1/4	4 7/8

## CITY TALES TOLD IN A LINE

Tin horns three cents at Lowell's  
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ONE beautiful hanging lamp only \$2.50 at Lowell's.

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We want to close out all the brass shells we have left, 3 cents each at Lowell's.

ANOTHER reduction in that \$12 gas range, it goes for \$7.50 at Lowell's.

THREE-burner gasoline stove \$4.20 at Lowell's. It's in good order, too.

## THE ROYAL ROAD

Good Food Is the Only Way

It's a man's bad habits that hurt him more than overwork. The little habits of coffee and tobacco hurt worse than some of the big ones, because they are continued more steadily than the greater habits. Many a man is simply poisoned to death by the alkalis of coffee and tobacco, and never will believe what is hurting him. Let him quit tobacco and use Postum Cereal Food Coffee in place of coffee, and very soon he finds that nature, the great restorer, is at work. No medicine is needed; simply quit doing those things which poison and waste the energy, and let nature build into body and brain from good food. Postum is made entirely of grains, by the Postum Cereal Co., Ltd., of Battle Creek, Mich., and is nourishing and fattening. Use plain, common food, and the food-drink (it looks like coffee but is not). Health will come and be of much more solid character than when patched up with drugs.

Dr. H. P. Merriman, 2239 Michigan Ave., Chicago, says: "I have tried the Postum and am pleased with it."

"Just as good" as Postum Cereal are words used to defraud the public.

## Home Seekers' Excursions.

Home Seekers' round trip excursion tickets to points in Iowa, Minnesota, the Dakotas, Northern Wisconsin, Missouri, Nebraska, New Mexico, Texas, Mississippi, Louisiana, Georgia, Indian Territory, Kansas, Arkansas, Alabama, in Florida on the Louisville & Nashville railroad North and South Carolina Oklahoma, Tennessee, Kentucky and western portion of Colorado will be sold by the Chicago, Milwaukee & St. Paul railway at half fare plus \$2.00 on January 5 and 19, February 2 and 16, March 2 and 16 and April 6 and 20, 1897.

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## THE PROGRAM FOR TONIGHT.

Boys Brigade.  
ROYAL Arcanum.  
KNIGHTS of Pythias.  
CHRIST Church Cadets.  
JANESVILLE Dental society.  
JANESVILLE Light Infantry.  
"DIME Social" at G. A. R. hall.  
JANESVILLE Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M.

LECTURE by Prof. Scott at the new High school.

CITIZENS' meeting at the council chambers.

PAY day for stockholders in the Loan, Savings and Building association.

We have one 1100 pound scale in fine order for \$12 at Lowell's.

## ON CHRISTMAS ISLAND.

Out-of-the-Way Corner of the Earth—A Remarkable Island.

A traveler from Boston—nearly all the curious travelers are Bostonians—has lately come back from Christmas Island with some interesting stories of what he found there, says the New York Herald. He seems to have found almost everything except a good and sufficient reason why the island should have the name it bears. The traveler sailed away from Java eastward and northward, and in three days the island hove in sight. It is seldom visited and seems to have no population of its own—indeed it is a coral formation, literally crowded up out of the sea. Successive and very slow accretions of soil have formed and in this is rooted vegetation of considerable extent and variety. The island presents to the mariner the aspect of a saddle, two hills forming the pommels. Though the hills are of considerable size they are covered with a coral formation to their very summits, the peak of one of them being an immense coral limestone. No stream or standing water was found on the island, as the soil, if it may be called a soil, is so porous that the rain is absorbed immediately. Yet the vegetation was green and under the fallen logs the earth was found to be sodden with moisture. The traveler spent ten days on the island, and during two of them rain fell heavily. He found trees 150 feet high, of which a large proportion bore edible fruit. This latter was the food of great numbers of birds, whose flesh was found to be exquisite. The place also swarmed with rats and bats. The most numerous of the birds were the large fruit-eating pigeons and a species of brown dove. Neither of these knew fear of man and they were shot by the dozen. The fact that at an elevation of 1,200 feet above the sea coraline limestone was found, and the formation of the hills, caused as they were with coral from base to summit, led the traveler to observe that Christmas Island was unique and a most remarkable example of coral formation. It appeared that from the time the island came within the reef building zone it had been steadily subject to a movement of upheaval, varied by pauses during which the cliffs were eroded by the sea. There is no other such example known.

## MARRY OR PAY.

In the Argentine Republic It Will Be a Crime to Refuse a Proposal Marriage.

The wise legislators of the Argentine Republic have been much troubled about providing a population for their large and fertile country. They have decided to provide a remedy by making marriage almost compulsory. A law has been introduced, the first clause of which reads: "On and after the 1st day of January, 1897, every male from the age of twenty to eighty shall pay a tax till he marries, and shall pay it once in every month." The next clause is more severe, and reads: "Young celibates of either sex who shall without legitimate motive reject the addresses of him or her who may aspire to her or his hand, and who continue contumaciously unmarried, shall pay the sum of 500 piastres for the benefit of the young person, man or woman, who has been so refused."

## A Yarn from Maine.

Here's a regular comic opera story. There is in Lewiston a man who claims to be the real master of an English earldom, but he asserts that he was replaced by a peasant's baby in his infancy, says the Bangor News. His present name is Patrick Glosep, he says, and that is the name of a place in Northern England, where his earldom is situated. Patrick Glosep can be found almost any day loafing around the Grand Trunk station and looking for some one to come in on the train, but the train never comes in with the person that is expected, and he turns away disappointed. He is tall, straight, and wears side whiskers, and has a decidedly English accent. He came to Lewiston about two months ago, and has worked sawing wood when he could find a place to do it. He boards in one of the alley boarding-houses, and says that he expects that a lawyer from England is coming to Lewiston to settle with him for giving up his right of heirship.

## If the Baby Is Cutting Teeth,

Be sure and use that old and well tried remedy Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup, for children teething. It soothes the child, softens the gums, allays all pain, cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhoea. Twenty-five cents a bottle.

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## BABOO ENGLISH.

The Hindoos Use Queer Expressions When They Learn Our Language.

The Hindoos are noted for their curious use of the English language when they learn it, says the New York Journal. They strive after flowery expression so hard that sometimes they are incomprehensible and sometimes very amusing. Lady Dufferin, whose husband was viceroy of India, has given some fine examples of Baboo English. During the viceregal stay at Mysore a servant of the maharajah used to offer her ladyship a bouquet every morning with the words: "A delicate attention." Finally he presented a petition signed "G. P. Don Juan. Talented Lepidoptera." "Here's another brilliant conception," said he, in delivering it. A protegee wrote to Lady Dufferin: "You have been very kind to me and may God Almighty give you tit for tat."

Capt. F. M. Randall copied the certificates of a dumb man encountered upon a mission to Nepal. Didar Singh, schoolmaster, wrote: "This poor Brahman seems to be deprived of speaking organ. It appears from his several certificates that his family also is deprived of some organ or other. All people who wish to show pity on poor will help this poor Brahman. Signed," etc. Another urged: "Please any small donation may be given to the bearer of this book. He is actually dumb and more so. Very poor." In reply to the remarks of a critic on an amateur dramatic performance a Hindoo wrote: "Sir—It is with surprise not unmixed by deep pain that the attention of your opinion on the decline of this drama has come under my perusal. My mind has gravitated much toward this interesting subject and I will try to elucidate by a concatenation of circumstances that the Avonian bard (Shakespeare) has never in any country found such truthful and liberal exponents as in the philanthropically disposed members of the debating societies in this civilized city. I greatly beg to request favor of your casting the intelligent eye of perusal over the inclosed somewhat brief and remarkable rechauffe of talented interpretations of the bard divine." Of the performance in question the writer says: "They all did most excellently well except one, who was unwell. He took the part of Portia, but the perfect beauty of his rendering of that most marvelous character was marred by the severe bodily pains from which he was suffering at the time." And it is a curious fact that the Baboo gentry imagine they are fine linguists and make no secret of it.

## Comets Are Coming.

We are now nearing the great meteoric orbit and very soon there will appear in the heavens a vast number of comets or shooting stars, says the London Mail. Astronomers the world over are preparing to witness the display, which will be at its height about the middle of November. On its present journey the earth will only meet the advance guard of the stream of meteors that in its revolution about the sun pours itself across the November section of our orbit, but as the stream of meteors is about eight years long—that is, about eight years being required for the entire stream to pass a given point—we shall meet it again in November, 1897, and the next November, and the next, when we are due to pass through its most dense portion, which is about 100,000 miles in thickness. Then for several years its numbers will grow less, until the last straggler has passed, when it will continue to sweep on its course and return to us again after a third of a century. As far back as there are any records this stream of meteors has regularly appeared every thirty-three and a quarter years and each time has been visible from the earth eight November runnings.

Babooed.

Henry Hoecon—So you got bunceed when you went to the city, did you? You ought to have been onto the game, as much as the papers have said about it. All work it just the same. Pretend to be great friends of the farmer. That was the way in your case, wasn't it? Reuben Raffance—Yes, same way; said they were great friends of the farmer. But great stumps! I supposed when they said that that they were some of these here candidates for congress.—Truth.

## Some Old Heroes.

Superstition is not dead in the civilized world. There are yet many people who believe that King Arthur will awaken some day from his long sleep at Avalon. The German is not a rarity who thinks Frederick Barbarossa sits spell-bound in the great Kyffhauserberg cavern in Thuringia, and that when his great red beard shall have wound itself thrice around the stone table he will come forth to battle for Germany. To others Charlemagne sleeps in the Odenberg in Hesse; the Irish Brian Boru, the Spanish Boabdil el Chico and the Servian Kueux Lazal wait in the heart of the mountain, crowned and armed, till the time is come for them to live again. And so it is with thousands of the heroes and great men of earth. Each has his following of devotees who watch and wait for his reincarnation.

## Henry the Third's Revenge.

Henry III. of England once took a curious revenge on the merchants of London, who had refused to lend him money. He kept his Christmas in London for fifteen days, opening a fair meantime at Westminster, and forbidding any shop to be opened in London as long as the festival lasted, while he helped himself to all the wine and victuals he could lay hands upon to furnish forth the royal tables; nor would he listen to the remonstrances of the citizens until they agreed to make him a present of 2,000 pounds, upon the receipt of which he withdrew his prohibition against carrying on business within the city.

## Old Silver Five-Cent Pieces.

The five-cent silver piece, familiar to our fathers, was authorized by Congress on April 2, 1792, and its coinage was begun the same year. Its coinage was discontinued on Feb. 12, 1873.

## Sounds Pleasant.

"I wonder what got Bluebeard started to cutting off his wives' heads?" "Very likely the idea occurred to him while he was at the theater behind a big hat"—Indianapolis Journal.

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I am not a philanthropist, nor do I pose as an enthusiast, but there are thousands of men suffering the mental tortures of weakened manhood who would be cured at once could they but get such a remedy as the one that cured me. Do not try to study out how I am able to pay the few postage stamps necessary to mail the information, but send for it, and learn that there are a few things on earth that although they cost no money to get they are worth a fortune to some men and mean a lifetime of happiness to most of us. Write to The Master, Box 464, Kalamazoo, Mich., and the information will be mailed to you in plain sealed envelope.

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Chicago Via Beloit & Harvard	7:00 a.m.	6:30 a.m.
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Beloit, DeKalb & Omaha	12:25 p.m.	10:45 a.m.
Beloit, Rockford & Freeport	7:20 p.m.	8:00 p.m.
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THIS DAY IN HISTORY.

1584—Galileo Galilei, the noted astronomer, born in 1564.

1747—Jeremy Bentham, English judicial philosopher, born in London.

1763—Treaty of Hubertburg and final settlement of all the issues of the French and Indian war: it was merely supplementary to the treaty of Paris.

1808—John Augustus Sutter, noted California pioneer, born in Kanders, Baden; shipwrecked and left in California July 2, 1830; died in Washington 1880.

1855—Nicholas Wiseman, noted English cardinal, died in London; born in Seville 1802.

1888—Mount Vernon, Ill., nearly destroyed by a tornado. D. R. Locke (Petroleum V. Nashby) died at Toledo; born 1834.

1889—Holland McTear, bishop of Methodist Episcopal church south, died at Nashville, aged 65.

1895—Richard F. Trevelick, prominent labor organizer, died in Detroit. Dr. Samuel Spencer Stafford, founder of the Stafford Ink company, died in New York.

1896—Mrs. E. K. Nicholson (Pearl Rivers) of The Pisanna died in New Orleans.

STATE EXPENSES.

Secretary Henry Casson reviews the figures printed by the Milwaukee Sentinel a few days ago and shows in what respect they are misleading. On their face they show an increase in expenditures in 1895 and 1896 over 1893 and 1894 of \$1,342,485.75. As a matter of fact there was a decrease of \$14,895.47.

Under the systems of book-keeping in operation in the offices of the secretary of state and state treasurer it is necessary that every dollar coming into the general fund of the state should show as a receipt, and every dollar disbursed as an expenditure. Under this system the one mill tax for the year 1894, amounting to \$600,000 and a portion of the nine-tenths mill tax for the support and maintenance of the university, having been paid from the general fund surplus, instead of by levy upon the taxable property of the state, aggregating \$732,570, show in the biennial report as expenditures of the state government when in reality they were not. Secretary Casson's accounts for the increase of expenditures alleged for the fiscal years 1895 and 1896 over the fiscal years of 1893 and 1894 is as follows:

Increase of expenditures alleged, \$1,342,485.75

This increase consists of the following:

Payment of trust fund loans, 200,000.00

One mill tax paid from general fund surplus, 600,000.00

Part of 9 40 mill tax for university paid from general fund surplus, 132,570.00

Taking of census as required by the constitution and laws of the state, 90,825.45

Printing census report, 7,229.29

Increase for maintenance of chronic insane in county asylum, caused by an increased number of insane, 102,596.96

Paid to charitable and penal institution M. C. Clarke, treasurer, but refunded by said treasurer to the general fund, under chapter 292 of the laws of 1895, 49,252.71

Money received from and expended for charitable and penal institutions, under chapter 292 of the laws of 1895, 114,636.81

Balance, 14,895.47

Making a total of, \$1,337,591.20

To explain more fully, as it was apprehended during the session of 1895, that the general fund receipts would not be sufficient to meet all the current expenses of the state and the appropriations of the legislature, payable from the general fund, chapter 52 of the laws of 1895 was enacted, authorizing a loan from the trust of the state to the general fund, in case it became necessary to meet the ordinary and current expenses of the state government and the appropriation of the legislature, of a sum sufficient for that purpose, to be repaid to the trust funds from the general fund revenues of the state for the year ending September 30, 1896. Accordingly \$260,000 was transferred from the trust funds to the general fund, which sum at was re-transferred to the trust funds, as provided by law, and was not an expenditure.

During the past year the Orange Judd Company made a compilation from the official reports of the several states of the union, showing an increase in state extravagance, making a comparison between the years 1860 and 1895. This table was compiled with the assistance of the governors, treasurers and auditors of the various states, and shows the expenditures in 1895, the assessed valuation, the population, the expense per capita, and the expense per one thousand dollars of taxable property, and also the same for the year 1860.

From the very interesting tables compiled it concludes that Wisconsin is the only state in the list which has not shown an increase. The report closes with the following language:

"We thus find that the expense per capita of state administrations costs today several times more than it did in 1860. In Maine the increase per capita is 175 per cent. In Vermont 216 per cent., in Massachusetts 215 per

cent., in Connecticut 328 per cent. in New Jersey 309 per cent., in Michigan 69 per cent., and in Iowa 71 per cent., while in Minnesota the expense per capita of population is now 334 per cent., greater. Wisconsin has the proud distinction of showing a light decrease per capita, in expenses and in Illinois the increase is only 15 per cent."

From the table given the expenses per capita in Wisconsin in 1860 were 2.21 and in 1895 2.13. In 1860 the ex cases per one thousand dollars of property was 9.29, and in 1895 6.98, being the only state in the entire list showing a decrease.

AS TO PERSONAL TAXES.

Tax payers in Milwaukee paid taxes on only 3187 watches in 1896. They will have a lively interest in the taxation measure introduced by Assemblyman Hall. Mr. Hall's measure is aimed especially at residents of large cities who now fail to pay their just proportion of the taxes. It provides that a person may be presented by the assessor with statements, which they will be asked to sign, listing the amount and value of securities held by them. In case the assessor suspects that the possessor of these securities has not made a full return of all the securities owned by him when he returns the statement it is made his duty by the bill to search the records and by other avenues of information to gain an estimate of the property owner's riches. The rating is made final and cannot be overturned by the board of review. In case the assessor discovers property not listed in the schedule it is his duty to add 50 per cent. to the face value of this property in making the assessment. This little penalty will, it is considered by Mr. Hall, make honesty good not only for its own sake, but as a matter of policy and cause holders of large securities to make true statements of their property.

ROCK COUNTY VALUATION.

Rock county tax payers find interesting figures in the secretary of state's report. They note that Milwaukee assessors returned the taxable valuation of Milwaukee county last year as \$162,137,842.50, but the state board of equalization decided \$133,419,142.25 to be quite enough, putting the valuation \$29,718,700.25 below what Milwaukee county assessors had figured. Rock county, on the other hand, was figured at \$20,167,953 by the assessors but the state board raised it \$1,385,116, making the taxable valuation of the county on the state rolls \$21,553,069. The assessment rolls do not show that Milwaukee county assessors were so extravagant as to justify this sweeping revision. They found only 6,812 pianos, organs and melodions in their county, while Rock county reported 1,566. They listed but 3,187 watches against 2,002 in Rock. Their enumeration of wagons, carriages and sleighs revealed only 14,359, while Rock county, with one-eighth of the valuation and one-fifteenth of the actual wealth, was taxed on 9,250. In behalf of the 1896 figures this may be said—they are fairer than the 1895 valuations. But what of the valuations for 1895?

This condition of deficit in the general fund dates back as far as the outgoing of the last democratic administration but has not appeared in the annual reports. Gov. Scofield will be upheld in his declaration that the people are entitled to know their financial status.

Assemblyman Merriam believes, no man who has not been admitted to citizenship should hold office. His opinion is shared by most people in this part of the state.

The legislature has more good bills to choose from this year than usual. As for the bad bills Gov. Scofield seems to be sorting them out with great certainty.

Pressure Upon the Porte.

It has been apparent for some time that if Russia and France were to bring combined pressure to bear upon the Turkish government, a way might be opened to genuine reform. Recently Monsieur Hanotaux, the French minister of foreign affairs, in a speech in the chamber of deputies, announced that during the czar's visit to Paris there had been an exchange of views regarding the Armenian question. He added that there was perfect union of opinion among the powers, which would give the sultan to understand the necessity of assuring security of all classes of his subjects. This announcement produced an immediate effect upon Turkey. The government not only renewed its promises of reform, but dismissed the vali of Diarbekir for complicity in the recent disorders, and sent telegrams to all military governors warning them that they would be held responsible for any further bloodshed.

Coal in the United States.

This country has an area of between 300,000 and 400,000 square miles of known coal fields, from which one million tons is mined yearly—enough to belt the earth at the equator with a ring five and a half feet thick by five and a half feet wide. The quantity "in sight" is estimated to be sufficient to supply the whole world for a period of fifteen hundred to two thousand years.

## MONTANA BANK SUSPENDS.

Helena Institution Succumbs, It Is Said to Bad Management.

Washington, Feb. 15.—The comptroller of the currency has received notice that the Merchants' national bank of Helena, Mont., had suspended.

According to the last report of the bank it had: Capital, \$350,000; surplus, \$70,000; undivided profits, \$69,000; due other banks, \$125,000; individual deposits, \$981,000; United States deposits, \$70,000; circulation outstanding, \$50,000; notes and bills rediscounted, \$25,000; bills payable, \$175,000; overdrafts, \$39,000, and loans and discounts, \$1,246,000.

Acting Comptroller Coffin said that for some time he had been looking for the bank to fail and that he believed bad management was the primary cause of it. Receiver J. Sam Brown now in charge of the First national bank at Helena, has been put in temporary charge.

Wants Tax on Bachelors.

Kansas City, Mo., Feb. 15.—The Rev. John B. Culpepper at the Washington Street Methodist Episcopal church Sunday proposed a tax on bachelors. "When a man is 22 and unmarried," he said, "he ought to be taxed \$100, when 23 he should be taxed \$200. The tax should be increased \$100 a year until he is 30. Then, if he is not married, he ought to be put in the penitentiary."

McKinley Needs a Rest.

Canton, O., Feb. 15.—It is not definitely known whether President-elect McKinley will start for Cleveland at once or delay his visit to that city for a day or two. But it is apparent to his friends that he should take a rest and seek relief from the strain of receiving the army of visitors constantly besieging his Canton home. Definite plans have not yet been announced.

Stricken Senators Are Improving.

Washington, Feb. 15.—Senator George of Mississippi has recovered sufficiently to be taken to his Mississippi home, where it is hoped that climatic and other influences will hasten his convalescence. The condition of Senator Harris of Tennessee continues favorable, although it will probably be several weeks before he can resume his senatorial duties.

Turkish Consul in Trouble.

Boston, Feb. 15.—Joseph A. Isagi, the Turkish consul-general here, who is in custody in New York, is wanted for the alleged embezzlement of trust funds amounting to \$250,000. To gambling in clubs for heavy stakes and to plunging on the stock market in sugar and other securities is ascribed his downfall.

Bear oyster crackers 5¢ cents at pound all the week at Sabor's.

## To Cure Nervous Dyspepsia.

To Gain Flesh, to Sleep Well, to Know What Appetite and Good Digestion Mean, Make a Test of Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets.

Interesting Experience of an Indianapolis Gentleman.

No trouble is more common or more misunderstood than nervous dyspepsia. People having it think that their nerves are to blame and are surprised that they are not cured by nerve medicine and spring remedies; the real seat of the mischief is lost sight of; the stomach is the organ to be looked after.

Nervous dyspepsia often do not have any pain whatever in the stomach, nor perhaps any of the usual symptoms of stomach weakness. Nervous dyspepsia shows itself not in the stomach so much as in nearly every other organ; in some cases the heart palpitates and is irregular; in others the kidneys are affected; in others the bowels are constipated, with headaches; still others are troubled with loss of flesh and appetite, with accumulation of gas, sour risings and heartburn.

Mr. A. W. Sharper of No. 61 Prospect St., Indianapolis, Ind., writes as follows: "A motive of pure gratitude prompts me to write these few lines regarding the new and valuable medicine, Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets. I have been a sufferer from nervous dyspepsia for the last four years; have used various patent medicines and other remedies without any favorable result. They sometimes gave temporary relief until the effects of the medicine wore off. I attributed this to my sedentary habits, being a book-keeper with little physical exercise, but I am glad to state that the tablets have overcome all these obstacles, for I have gained in flesh, sleep better, and am better in every way. The above is written not for notoriety, but is based on actual fact."

Respectfully yours,

A. W. SHARPER.

It is safe to say that Stuart's Dyspepsia Tablets will cure any stomach weakness or disease except cancer of stomach. They cure sour stomach, gas, loss of flesh and appetite, sleeplessness, palpitation, heartburn, constipation and headache.

Send for valuable little book on stomach diseases by addressing Stuart Co., Marshall, Mich.

All druggists sell full sized packages at 50 cents.

## Boarders

—AND—

## Roomers

are readily secured by placing an ad. of

12 words for 10 cents

In the classified columns of

The Gazette....

## A Corset Sale

FOR WEDNESDAY.

Satisfactory Corsets such as we handle are good value at regular prices, but at our Wednesday prices they are such splendid bargains that 'tis no wonder our corset sales are the talk of the town. Lines and sizes for this sale will be complete, and our corset customers can rely upon finding just what they may want for the coming season.

79 Cents

The W. D. Corsets in four styles, including the six hook white, drab and black.

The P. N. Corsets in six styles, including the high bust, also the new brocade satine; colors, white, drab and black.

The P. N. Waist, Chicago, both for ladies and misses; also the P. N. Nursing Corset.

The Brewster Corset, one of our standard lines, which has many friends.

Thompson's Glove Fitting Corset—Possibly no line we handle is better known than Thompson's; we have them in two styles.

The C. B. A. la Sprite is a French corset made of coutil, has a long waist.

The W. C. Corset—not all sizes, but if you find the right size there are a number of the better grades, all at same price.

49 Cents

"The Ansonia" five hook long waist corset, well boned, covered with figured satine; colors, white and drab; sizes 18 to 25; will compare with many stores' dollar corset.

Brewster's Tailor Made—a French boned, satine covered corset—moulded shape, either five or six hook; colors white, drab and ecru; sizes 18 to 30.

ONE DAY—WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 17th.

ARCHIE REID &amp; Co.

## Rider's Racket Store.

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Every thing Good and Cheap

Ladies' Sewing Tables, three foot measure in the top, 65 cents  
Girls' and Boys' Sleds at Summer Prices.  
Gold Horse Whip, 10 cents.  
Three Sewed House Brooms, 10 and 15 cents.  
Nice Hand Lamp, complete, 15 cents.  
500-page Pencil Tablet, 5 cents.  
200-page, pocket size, Writing Tablet, 5 cents.  
Lead Pencils, 4c, 10c and 15c a dozen.  
Writing Pens, two for 1 cent.  
Five Slate Pencils, 1 cent.  
Nice, thick, white Envelopes, two bunches for 5 cents.

RIDER'S, near Grand Hotel

163 W. Milwaukee St.

Talk is Cheap

A whole hour costs you nothing. Come and tell us all about your ailments. We may be able to advise you. There is no reason why you should continue to suffer. It is a duty you owe yourself, your family, your friends and the world in general to be in as good health as possible. Do not drag out a miserable existence and bring sadness upon all around you when, by judicious advice and correct treatment your restoration is assured. No matter what your ailment may be or how many physicians have treated you and failed. Our methods are different from anything you have ever tried and we can show you plainly why our methods are successful and why your disease has been cured.

M. ALDEN MOREHOUSE,

SPECIALIST.

Murdoch Flat, Franklin St., Janesville.

Coal Choice Enough

For Table Use.....

Accompanying an invoice of ten carloads of Coal is a letter from the miner saying:

"The Coal we have ordered to you is so choice that it will do for table use. They say they are going to give it passenger train service."

Crossett &amp; Bonesteel,

Opp. in rear of P. O., Janesville.

Phone 238

To be in style

Every lady should wear Puffs and Curls, and lots of them.

Switches and Hair Goods of all kinds made to order.

MRS. SADLER.

W. Milwaukee St. Opposite Post Office

A FEW BARGAINS

—IN—

MISFIT GARMENTS

—AT THE—

Kneff &amp; Allen Store.

One fine blue black Granite Cutaway Coat and vest, size 44, made to order price was \$30; take them now for..... 18

One light colored and weight Scotch Sack Suit, size coat and vest 37; pants, 33x33; made to sell for \$29; take them now for..... 17

One gray rhinhead check Worsted Cutaway Coat and vest, size 44, made to order price, \$35; take them now for..... 15

One black Cheviot Cutaway Suit; size of coat 35; pants 29x32; made to order price was \$28; take them now for..... 18

One black Diagonal Cutaway Coat and Vest, size 41½; made to order price was \$28; take them now for..... 18

One Scotch Gray Pants and Vest; size vest, 43; pants, 43x34; made to order price \$13; take them now for..... 7

One Gray Striped Cashmere Pant, size waist 34, length 32; made to sell for \$5.50; take them now for..... 3

One Gray Striped Worsted Pant, size waist 35½; length 35½; were made for \$9; take them for..... 20

F. L. CLEMONS, Assignee

Your Steak

At Stake:::

Did you ever deal with a market that always sent the same kind of good steak day after day—a nice piece of juicy porterhouse about seven-eighths of an inch thick—the kind that, when broiled, almost melts in your mouth?

That is what Wm. Kammer does. Meat always the same. It's good too.

Corner Western and Center Ave.

Telephone 219.

SUITS MADE TO ORDER

\$14 to \$35.

Cleaning and repairing done by

H. ZANDER.

17 S. Main St. With Janesville Clothing Co.

Shoe:::

## Opportunity

## Extraordinary.

In order to make room for our large spring stock we will make such low prices as will move them quickly.

\$3.50 Takes our famous ladies' box calf and enamel shoes that have always sold for \$4.00 and \$5.00.

3.00 Buys that beautiful ladies' patent tip, Vic and French Kid button and lace which have been selling at \$4.00.

2.00 Buys a Ladies' Dongola button or lace shoe. This shoe will wear wear and is fully warranted.

1.50 to \$2.00 buys a Calf Skin Shoe others would ask you \$2.75 to \$3.00.

Now for the gentlemen. We can knock out all competition; the quality in our shoes is unexcelled.

1.25 to \$1.50 takes an Oil Grain Shoe, lace or congress. \$1.50 buys a good wearing and a dress shoe. \$2 to \$2.50 gives you a fine dress shoe.

We carry a large line of patent leathers and enamel shoes that will pay you to investigate. Our stock of Boys' Misses' and children's shoes go at the same proportionate low prices.

P. S.—Please remember that with every 50c cash purchase you are entitled to a coupon on the bicycle we are to give away March 15th.

Bennett and Cram,

ON THE BRIDGE.



## MRS. ADAMS SPEAKS AT MIDWINTER FAIR

WELL KNOWN MADISON WOMAN IS COMING.

Entertainment Tuesday Evening Will Be of High Standard—Premiums This Year Larger and More Numerous Than in 1896—Financial Aspect Now Under Consideration.

The premium list for the midwinter fair is nearly completed and the final canvass for cash to provide for running expenses is in progress today.

The prizes this year are more numerous and larger than last year by a considerable percentage.

Merchants are requested to prepare the premiums which they expect to offer as early as possible and put them in their show windows appropriately labeled. Copies of the premium list will be left in every store for distribution as soon as published.

Ogden H. Fethers has been selected as the chairman for the entertainment to be given Tuesday evening. Mrs. Charles Kendall Adams, wife of President Adams, of the State university has been prevailed upon to deliver an address. She will be heard with great interest by Rock county people. Prof. Henry, dean of agricultural college will deliver an address on Tuesday evening, and the responsibility for the musical part of the program has been assumed by the Musical Literary society. Wm. Bladon having the active management. The excellence of the entertainment in every respect is thus insured.

Secretary Clemons announces that entries may be made by mail. The more that are made by mail the better, as the delay in preparing tags and filling out class books will thus be lessened. When entries are made by mail tags will be delivered to exhibitors when displays are brought in. The entry books will be open Wednesday, Feb. 24th.

Lively competition is insured in carriage team class at the fair. The Janesville Carriage Works today offered as a first prize in this class a cutter that sells for \$40. The cutter is a handsome one, the Janesville Carriage Works best quality of workmanship and will be a desirable prize.

### "SPECIAL" MADE A QUICK TRIP

Extra U. & N. W. Train Nearly Caught Up with the Vestibule.

Raging snow storms in the northern part of the state caused the St. Paul vestibule to pull into the city yesterday morning in two sections. The delay was caused on the Duluth division. Every night as the vestibule proper reaches Eau Claire from St. Paul, it attaches to it a sleeper and combination mail and baggage car from the Duluth division. Heavy snow storms along this division prevented this yesterday morning. A car filled with Uncle Sam's mail and a car filled with human freight could not be delayed, so the train was sent out in two sections. The second section was a "special" of only two cars and the orders were that they were to "make time" if such a thing were possible. They arrived here at 8:15 and Conductor L. M. Thomas of this city, was put in charge of the flyer and pulled it into Chicago. The train pulled into the World's Fair City but a few minutes behind the vestibule proper which had had several hours the start.

### PARTY ENJOYED A BOB RIDE.

Young People Were the Guests of Mr. and Mrs. Greene.

A jolly load of young people were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Myron F. Greene, at "a bob ride social" given Saturday evening. They left the city at 8:30 o'clock and were driven to the Ransom farm near Emerald Grove, where an oyster supper was served. They returned home at midnight. Those who enjoyed the hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. Greene were:

Misses—  
Alice Farnsworth, Alma Golling,  
Mable Harper, Maud Ames,  
Jessie Allen, Josephine Farnsworth.  
Messrs—  
George Dower, F. E. Sanner,  
George Barker, L. E. Johnson,  
W. A. Yates, Charles Tallman,  
H. Hemmingsway.

### THE VALLEY OF THE SHADOW.

Charles Leslie Mathias.

The funeral of Charles Leslie Mathias was held from the home in the town of Plymouth yesterday afternoon. Rev. J. J. Lugg officiating. Mrs. Ed. Brown acted as organist, and the song service was rendered by Mrs. Fred Childs, Mrs. John Seidmore, Mrs. P. O. Wehling, Edward Brown and Frank Dean. The pall bearers were Paul Ehrlicher, Harvey Dettmer, George Hemmingsway and Fred Hartwig.

Funeral of Kettle.

The funeral of the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Kettle was held yesterday from their home in the town of Center.

### Cracker Reduction.

Guaranteed A. B. C. oyster and butter crackers, any size, only 5 cents a pound. The quality is just as represented. You can rely on it.

C. A. SANBORN & Co.

### Fruit Is Cheap.

When you can buy such oranges as we are selling at 10 cents a dozen, three dozen for 25 cents, and lemons 15 cents a dozen, nice large ones, you can put them down for bargains. We have plenty of them. Sanborn & Co.

### SOME NEWS FROM ROUND ABOUT

Mrs. ALBERT KNUCK is ill. STOVE polish, 2 cents a cake at Lowell's.

This is the third Monday in the month.

SEVERAL local tobacco deals are on the tapis.

EIGHTEEN showcases for a song at Lowell's.

THE Light Infantry will drill this evening.

ONE iron 18 inch fore plane, \$1.35 at Lowell's.

TWELVE pounds of nails for 25 cents at Lowell's.

DOUBLE wash boards 19 cents each at Lowell's.

SMITHS' orchestra will play in Baraboo tonight.

THE Boys' Brigade meets for drill this evening.

LARGE size corn poppers only 14 cents at Lowell's.

THIS is the drill night of the Christ Church Cadets.

THIS is the regular meeting night of the Royal Arcanum.

THE "Dime Social" will be given at G. A. R. hall tonight.

YOUR cash buys shoes with us; nothing else. Richardson.

LOCAL dentists meet tonight in regular tri-weekly session.

CHOICE large lemons only 15 cents per dozen at Sanborn's.

THIS is the regular meeting night for the Knights of Pythias.

ONE sheet iron drum \$1.50; just the thing to be up-stairs. Lowell.

PROF. Charles Foster Smith will lecture at the new high school this evening.

DON'T forget to pay your Building and Loan association dues this evening.

CARPENTERS are improving the interior of J. H. Burns' exchange building.

JANESVILLE Lodge No. 55, F. and A. M., will meet this evening at Masonic hall.

A GAVANIZED five gallon oil can with faucet filled with the best oil, for 95 cents at Sanborn's.

STREET Commissioner Watson's men were obliged to work on Sunday in keeping the gutters free from ice.

GET a pair of \$5 box calf shoes for men. Just the thing for this kind of weather. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

AN informal reception will be tendered Rev. and Mrs. Robert C. Dennison tomorrow afternoon and evening.

ALL next week we will sell the A. B. C. oyster and butter crackers at 5¢ a pound, regular factory prices. Sanborn's.

WE guarantee to save you money on every pair of shoes, quality considered you buy. Don't forget that. Richardson.

BURNHAM'S famous clam bouillon and chowder will be sampled at our demonstration counter next week. Sanborn's.

No shoe ever sold at the price \$2.85 that could compare with those box calves we are selling to the ladies. Richardson.

CITIZENS will meet at the council chambers tonight to discuss the "proposed changes in the running of trains on the railway."

If your grocer does not keep Pearl White or Vienna flour and refuses to send them to you, you can get them at the mill. J. M. Shackleton.

ALL there is in the reduced prices we are making on winter shoes you get the benefit of in your cash purchase. A. Richardson Shoe Co.

TEN cents out of every dollar taken in Wednesday, Feb. 17, at Bort & Bailey's, will be donated to the Associated Charities, to be used as they see fit.

THE calico party to be given by the ladies of the Concordia Society next Thursday evening, promises to be a pleasant affair. Remember the date.

Men's winter weight shoes, enameled, patent leathers, calf and ox blades at less prices for the high quality than you can get in the city. Richardson.

HAVE you seen the box calf shoes for ladies at the Richardson Shoe Co's store. If not you should avail yourself of the opportunity. Price \$2.85.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 17, will be charity day at Bort, Bailey & Co's. Ten per cent of the entire gross receipts will be donated to the Associated Charities.

A VERY enjoyable Valentine social was given by the ladies of the Light Infantry at the Armory Saturday night, and a basket luncheon was served.

ALL ladies who furnish for Court Street suppers will please bear in mind that they are expected to provide the same article of food for the supper of this week.

A REHEARSAL of the opera of Erminie will be held at the Caledonian Society room at 7:30 sharp, this evening. All those taking part are requested to be on hand at that hour.

THE ladies of Court Street M. E. church will serve a chicken pie supper on Wednesday of this week at 5:30 p. m. Special efforts are being made for this supper and all are invited to be present. Supper tickets 25 cents.

Mrs. Annibel C. Whitcomb of Milwaukee, lectured on "Birds and Their Habits" at the Congregational church Saturday afternoon. She used mounted specimens by way of illustration, and carried a number with her. Others were loaned by F. F. Pierson.

THE Citizen's club will hold its regular meeting tomorrow, Tuesday evening, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. M. D. Taylor, Pease court. Subject of the evening "The Enforcement of the Laws" on which subject a paper will be presented by I. H. Carpenter.

## A BIG VEIN BROKE WHILE SHE WALKED

MRS. D. B. WHETSTONE'S CLOSE CALL SATURDAY.

Managed To Stagger Along Two Blocks to the Home of Her Son, Though Her Path Was Marked by Stains on the Snow—Will Recover, Dr. St. John Says.

With blood spurting from her body in a stream, Mrs. Daniel B. Whetstone staggered along for two blocks on South Main street to reach the home of her son, Fred B. Whetstone, at 5 o'clock Saturday afternoon.

Mrs. Whetstone resides in Beloit and has been in the city on a visit with her son. Saturday afternoon she left the home in apparently good health. When she reached the court house park she felt a tingling sensation in her limb. Then the blood vessel burst. She at once started to retrace her steps, her path being marked by a wavering line where the blood dropped as she walked. So copious was the flow, that she became greatly weakened before she had gone far. By the time she reached home she was very weak. The family attempted to stop the flow, but could not. Dr. J. W. St. John was called and arrested the flow. Her husband was then telegraphed for and arrived in the city Saturday evening from Beloit.

Though very weak, Mrs. Whetstone was better today, and will recover.

### ODD BITS OF LOCAL GOSSIP

GENTLEMEN'S box calf shoes are still selling at \$4 at Bennett & Cram's.

THE Y. M. C. A. and the Beloit teams play indoor base ball tomorrow evening.

WE are sole agents of the F. M. Marzluff Co's fine shoes; every pair warranted. Bennett & Cram.

OUR spring goods are coming, some are here now. We will tell you more about them in a few days. Richardson.

REMEMBER our bargain counter of broken sizes in shoes for ladies 2½ to 4 size all go at 98 cents. Bennett & Cram.

LADIES' attention is particularly called to our west window of \$2.85 shoes. There are some rare bargains displayed. Richardson.

ALL the ladies who will act as clerks during the charity sale at our store Wednesday will be glad to see their friends. Bort, Bailey & Co.

NEVER too late to mend—but it will be too late to get one of those stylish nobby cloaks for its real value if you don't call pretty soon. T. P. Burns.

WHEN you spend your money for shoes, you want to be dead certain you are not buying anything but shoes. We make you generous reductions on prices for cash, and don't ask you to pay for other things along with your shoes. Richardson's.

WITH every 50¢ cash purchase you get a numbered coupon which entitles you to a chance on the bicycle we give away on March 15. Don't forget our free shine stand which runs every working day no matter the weather. Bennett & Cram.

MR. BENNETT, who is to deliver the illustrated lecture in the Y. M. C. A. building this week Wednesday and Friday, will be remembered as the same who lectured here last year and delighted all with his beautiful pictures.

J. M. BOSTWICK & Sons are showing No. 12 satin black velvet ribbons in such new shades as hortensia, Henry II, gironne, qui vive, fenillage, rouge, grenat, and (getting down to earth) the new greens, browns, reds, etc., used largely for bows on dresses, strap effects, collarettes, panels, etc.

ON Wednesday and Friday evenings of this week the Hon. R. J. Bennett of Chicago will give two illustrated lectures at the Y. M. C. A. Building. The one on Wednesday being upon Switzerland, and the one on Friday on "Paris, the bewitching city". The Association has decided to put these lectures within the reach of all and have made the price of admission 15¢ each or both for 25 cents. Members of the association can procure tickets for the two lectures for 15 cents.

Every Woman

Interested in fine table articles should not fail to call on Miss Gray at our store this week.

Ricnelieu canned vegetables, fruits and delicacies and Sprague, Warner & Co's. Java and Mocha coffee, with hot biscuit make it worth the trouble you undergo. Sanborn's.

Modjeska Is Much Better.

Los Angeles, Cal., Feb. 15.—The condition of Mme. Modjeska is greatly improved tonight and all intention of performing an operation for appendicitis has been abandoned unless her condition changes for the worse. The countess is in good spirits and hopes soon to be able to go to her ranch for a complete rest.

Governor for Cape Colony.

London, Feb. 15.—Sir Alfred Milner has been appointed governor of Cape Colony, to succeed Lord Rosemberd, better known as Sir Hercules Robinson, who resigned on account of ill health.

Tragedy at Guthrie, Ky.

Guthrie, Ky., Feb. 15.—H. D. Day, a prominent society man of this place, was shot Sunday by Mac Talliaferro. It is said that Talliaferro was jealous of Day's attention to his wife.

### THE PEOPLE WHO COME AND GO

J. D. HOLMES is able to be out.

ENSIGN HEMMING is home from Chicago.

ATTORNEY John Cunningham was in Clinton.

ATTORNEY Charles E. Pierce was in Clinton on legal business.

HERMAN HEISE, now of Evansville, was here to spend Sunday.

MISS LOUISE SHEARER is home from the State university.

HARRY BORN is home after a three weeks' visit in St. Louis.

Mrs. F. M. MARZLUFF is recovering from several days of illness.

JAMES HOGAN of the Hotel Myers, is home from a visit in Clinton.

MISS ANNA DRAFAHL and Miss Ora Smith spent Sunday in Afton.

H. W. CHILDS, the tobacco dealer, was in the local market today.

GEORGE W. SWITZER, of New York City, is in the local tobacco market.

FRANK GAGAN and James Selkirk were up from Clinton to spend Sunday.

STANLEY TALLMAN is home from the state university to spend a few days.

FOREST BURNETT, of Chicago, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Burnett.

MR. and Mrs. P. J. Mount left this morning for an extended visit in the east.

ASSEMBLYMAN N. B. Treat, of Monroe, was the guest of Janesville friends today.

HENRY CODY returned to his studies at the Whitewater Normal school this morning.

LOUIS F. GRANT of Beloit, is at Oak Lawn hospital under the care of Dr. W. H. Judd.

MISS Maud Ames of Clinton, spent Sunday in town, the guest of Miss Jessie Allen.

MISS CORA BUTTER has so far recovered from her two months' illness as to be able to be out.

SENATOR Whitehead and Assemblyman Wheeler were home from Madison to spend Sunday.

ROBERT STUART, the insurance man of Milwaukee, was in town to spend Sunday with his family.

JAMES MILFORD, of the American Express company, went on duty today after a three weeks' illness.

FRANK REYNOLDS will soon leave for the West in the interest of the Janesville Machine company.

PRESIDENT J. J. Kelly of the A. O. H. No. 3, has presented Mrs. Charles Gokey with \$300 as a funeral benefit.

MORRIS CLARK and D. Van Patten were here today to remove the fixtures from the Murray meat market. Mr. Murray having moved to hand-somer quarters next door.

W. G. WHEELLOCK returned last evening from an extended eastern trip. Mr. Wheellock met his sons, Charles, George and Arthur in Chicago, and together they made the tour of eastern cities, consuming about three weeks in the trip.

May Be George Taylor.

Little Rock, Ark., Feb. 15.—An insane man in the Fulton county jail at Salem, Ark., is believed to be George Taylor, the noted murderer of the Meeks family of Missouri. The man in jail says his name is Charles Lampton.

Jefferson Hunt, a traveling man who claims to have been acquainted with the Taylors when they were business men, says that he has seen the madman, and that he is none other than George Taylor. The lunatic acts in such a peculiar manner that the jailer believes he has committed some great crime, and that it has preyed upon his mind until it has driven him crazy.

Big Tallow Tank Explodes.

Springfield, Ill., Feb. 15.—A terrific explosion occurred about midnight Saturday at B. Franz & Bros.' packing house, two miles northwest of the city. The explosion was caused by the collection of gas in a tallow tank. It completely wrecked the engine, boiler and tank rooms and two large smokestacks. The damage is from \$8,000 to \$10,000. Albert Kimmel, the engineer, and John Torr, his helper, were buried in the ruins. Both men were badly bruised and Kimmel's face was scalded.

Ex-Congressman Is Arrested.

West Chester, Pa., Feb. 15.—Ex-Congressman Smedley Darlington has been arrested on a charge of embezzlement, arising from the financial troubles of the West Chester Guarantee Trust and Safe Deposit company, of which he was president before the recent appointment of receivers. Mary A. Burnett of Malvern alleges that on Dec. 2 last Darlington received from her on deposit \$1,300, knowing at the time that the company was insolvent. Darlington was held on his own recognizance for a further hearing.

Plants Will Be Busy.

Pittsburg, Pa., Feb. 15.—The Carnegie Steel company has practically gobbled orders aggregating 500,000 tons of steel rails, which was admitted by a Carnegie official. The official said that rails cannot be made with profit at \$17, but the company made the price, stuck a pin in it and are going to stand by the figures to prove to the world what they can do in the steel business.

Mrs. Booth-Tucker Ill.

New York, Feb. 15.—Mrs. Booth-Tucker, wife of Commander Booth-Tucker of the Salvation Army, became so ill in Brooklyn Sunday that she had to give up her work there, and was brought to her home in this city. At night the captain of the barracks announced that Mrs. Tucker had not improved, and that it probably was a return of the Indian fever.

## COURT CUT A KNOT THE PARSON TIED

MR. AND MRS. MITCHELL SET FREE.

Third Matrimonial Venture of the Latter Was Terminated Today, the Husband Alleging Desertion—Were Married in This City Six Years Ago—Other Court News.

Mrs. Nellie Mitchell's third matrimonial contract was dissolved by Judge Bennett this morning, when he granted a divorce to her husband, John J. Mitchell.

Mrs. Mitchell resides in Beloit and runs a boarding house, while her former husband is located at Milton where he is known for miles around as an expert machinist and a highly respected citizen. The couple were married in this city. For several months their wedded life seemed to be happy, but at the end of that time, Mitchell says, his wife deserted him. E. D. McGowan appeared for Mr. Mitchell. Judge Bennett this afternoon listened to the case of Edmore Wright and others against Frank E. Rice. The action is a contest for the partition of twenty acres of land in the town of Johnston.

ANOTHER LAND MARK IS FATED

The Original Kirk Cooper Shop Is Being Torn Down.

Another landmark is being removed. Workmen now being engaged tearing down the original Thomas Kirk Cooper shop situated on the river bank at the corner of River and School streets. The structure was "built to stay," and the oak timbers used in its construction are yet good for many years of service. This is the second Cooper shop to be torn down. The lumber for its construction was hauled by team from Milwaukee and the building was erected in the early fifties.

What the Label Signifies

ALL custom made garments made by first class union labor will have a label attached like this

CUSTOM TAILORS UNION

1863

UNION LABEL

If the label is not to be found the garment has been finished by cheap sweat shop help and is therefore inferior in every way. See that the label is put on your clothing. Tailor's Union.

A Flour Reduction.

Enough cannot be said in regard to the quality of "Hard to Beat" flour. It is without doubt the best flour of its grade there is milled, we have been selling it at \$1.05 a sack, but reduce it to \$1, and when taken in ten sack lots, 95 cents.

C. A. SANBORN & Co.

Kansas May Admit Saloons.

Topeka, Kan., Feb. 15.—It is almost certain that the prohibitory liquor question will again come before the voters of Kansas for settlement. A special order has been made for Tuesday to consider a resolution submitting the question to a vote of the people, and the friends of the measure claim five more than a two-thirds vote of the House. It will pass the Senate.

GREAT SUCCESS

This Muslin Underwear Special.

We will continue it a few days more.

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DEATH AND A SCORCHER.

They Run a Race to Gain a Child's Life.

Two physicians were carefully watching recently in Philadelphia a child who was ill unto death with typhoid fever, says the Philadelphia Times. Suddenly a change came over the dying girl and the physician's practiced eye was quick to note that it was for the worse. For a few moments he gave up all hope. He could think of nothing which would avert the disease, when suddenly he thought of a remedy which he believed would give the dying child a new lease of life. But the required drug was rare and at that hour he knew of but two stores in the city which would have it. Hurriedly he wrote the prescription and, turning to the child's mother, he handed it to her and told her that to save the girl's life he must have it in twenty minutes. Robert McCurdy, an intimate friend of the family and a man with a record as a wheelman, happened to call just then to ask after the sufferer's condition and heard the physician say that the nearest place the prescription could be filled was at Fifteenth and Chestnut streets. He volunteered to go, and, seizing the prescription, he jumped on his wheel and was off in a flash. He had proceeded but a few squares when he encountered a bicycle policeman, who called upon him to stop. He never slackened his pace and the policeman started to overtake him. McCurdy soon distanced the bluecoat and when he arrived at the drug store was as fresh as when he started. The store was crowded, and, finding it would take some time to fill the order, the bicyclist retraced his steps to the second named store. Here he was promptly waited on, and, without stopping for change from the note which he had left on the counter he started on his homeward trip. In crossing Pine street his lamp went out, and the same policeman who had previously endeavored to arrest him again gave chase. But he was not in it with the crack rider, who has a track record equaled by few, and was left far behind. McCurdy reached the house of the sick child bearing the life-giving medicine exactly eleven minutes after he started out on his errand of mercy, and the life of the dying girl was saved. There is now every prospect of her rapid recovery.

PERSONNEL OF THE NAVY.

Desertions from Uncle Sam's Ships Are Few and Far Between.

The report from Washington to the effect that 4,000 bluejackets are needed to man the new vessels of the American navy about to go into commission recalls a remark made by Admiral Buncie one day last summer, says the New York Mail and Express. The North Atlantic squadron lay at anchor off Staten Island and Father Knickerbocker and his country visitors were going down to quarantine daily to look at the splendid fighting ships. A reporter went aboard the flagship one morning and enjoyed a pleasant chat with the gallant admiral. Said he: "The type of man-of-war's-man of today is far different from the old-time bluejacket. Desertions are almost unknown from the navy now. Here is a vessel which cost in round numbers \$2,000,000. The men consider it their home and they take an immense amount of pride in it. How many men are there ashore who can sleep and eat in a house which cost as much money? Look about you and note the faces of the bluejackets here." The sailormen in sight were certainly a fine-looking lot. The admiral surveyed them admiringly and then said: "So far as the personnel of the crew goes the vessels in the American navy are always ahead of those of any foreign power."

A Book on Centenarians.

A book on the subject of old age, published in England sometime ago, furnishes some interesting information concerning centenarians. Of the fifty-two mentioned, thirty-six were females. Eleven of these were single, five were married, and thirty-six widowed. Three only were in affluent circumstances, twenty-eight were comfortable and nineteen poor. Nine were fat, eighteen in average condition and twenty thin. Thirty-six had good appetites, ten moderate and two bad. Fifteen were total abstainers, twenty-four drank a little, six were moderates and one drank whatever he could get. There were seven hard smokers, four being women. The average time of going to bed was 9 o'clock, and seven were bedridden. Twenty-four had no teeth and only four had artificial teeth.

An Awful Plight.

Little girl: "Please give me a penny, ma'am. My mother is dead and my father can't go out at night any more by the doctor's orders and so can't earn any money."

Benevolent passer-by: "Can't go out at night? Why, what's your father's business?"

Little girl: "He's a burglar, ma'am; and before he was laid up with bronchitis we used to live beautifully."—New York Tribune.

Gross Church Relic.

In the St. Sepulchre Church in London there was found in an old chest recently the bell which in Stuart times used to be rung by the cleric outside the cell of a condemned felon on the night before execution. The bell will be hung up in a conspicuous place in the church.

Candor on Canvas.

Artist: "How do you like the portrait?"  
"Well, I don't exactly like the nose."  
Artist: "Neither do I—but it's yours."—New York Tribune.

HARD ON THE SNIPE.

David King, Jr., in the Character of a Modern Scientific Inventor.

From the New York Sun.—There are new things under the sun in spite of the proverb. The man who made it didn't know David King, Jr. Mr. King was once a park commissioner of this city, and he was always a sportsman. He is a sportsman yet, and a capital shot, too, and that is how he came to devise this new thing that puts the maker of that proverb—or his ghost—to the blush. They say—we won't vouch for it—that Irishmen used to dress themselves in donkey skins and pretend to graze along the shores of the Emerald Isle's estuaries in order to get within shooting distance of the big Irish snipe. We don't believe the story. It sounds fishy. But there's nothing fishy about Mr. King's method of accomplishing the same purpose as the fabled Irishman. Listen. Mr. King is shooting snipe on Jekyll Island, a sandy waste at the mouth of St. Simon's sound, on the coast of Georgia, about ten miles from Brunswick as the boat sails. Jekyll Island is famous for its birds, and there is a clubhouse there for the use of sportsmen. The beach is very broad and shelving and very hard. The snipe are plentiful but timid. They know man, and they know his gun, and it takes skill to make a good bag. One way of shooting snipe is from a blind, built of grass and twigs so cunningly arranged as to look like a clump of natural vegetation. The sportsman lies behind it, and when the snipe don't come within shot he goes home empty handed. Mr. King has a blind, too, but it is movable and follows the birds. It is nothing more or less than a tricycle specially built for the purpose, upon whose frame grasses and green things are so disposed as to lead the fated snipe to see no guile therein. Behind the screen sits Mr. King on a comfortable spring seat, his feet on the pedals and his armament conveniently disposed around him. He wheels from the clubhouse to the shooting ground, awaits his game, brings it down, gathers it in, and moves slowly off to the next good locality. When birds alight out of gunshot he moves toward them at a practically imperceptible rate until he finds himself within range. Mr. King deserves the excellent bags he is reported to be making. But it's hard on the snipe.

NONSENSE ABOUT SNAKES.

The Absurd Spell Claimed to Be Held by a Witch Over Young Girls.

As an illustration of the belief in the transformation of human beings into serpents, I will relate a circumstance said to have occurred during the first half of the present century. Near Trexletown, Lehigh county, dwelt a farmer named Weiler. His wife and three daughters had, by some means or other, incurred the enmity of a witch who lived but a short distance away, when the latter, it is supposed, took revenge in the following manner: Whenever visitors came to the Weiler residence the girls, without any premeditation whatever, would suddenly be changed into snakes, and after crawling back and forth along the top ridge of the wainscoting for several minutes, they were restored to their natural form. This curious transformation occurred quite frequently and the circumstance soon attained widespread notoriety. About the end of the third month the spell was broken and everything went on as before. Another popular fallacy is the existence of the hoop snake. This creature is usually reported as capable of grasping the tip of its tail with its mouth, and like a hoop running swiftly along in pursuit of an unwelcome intruder. This snake is believed, furthermore, to have upon its tail a short, poisonous horn, like a cock's spur, and if it should strike any living creature death would result. The stories concerning this marvelous snake usually end with the statement that the person pursued barely escapes and that the snake strikes a tree instead, causing it to wither and die.

Use No Hair Brush.

The brush is said to be by no means the best method of dressing the hair. It tears out much of the hair, marring its appearance and seriously injuring it. A charming English woman, whose hair always looked like burnished gold, announced one day that she never used a brush on it; however, she had a substitute. With a large silk handkerchief, such as good housekeepers covet for brightening their silver, she stroked it firmly and briskly 100 times night and morning. She said this method possessed all the good qualities of a brushing without ever running the danger of breaking a fine hair or tiring the head.

Human Hair in War Vessels.

A fact that has recently come to light shows a new use to which human hair has been put. During the last year or two tons of human hair have been packed between the plates of a certain part of war vessels. Hair is very elastic, and thus affords a most effective backing for metal. Again, it is being used very satisfactory to form a kind of fender which is thrown over the side of a vessel to prevent her scraping against the dock—to take the place, in fact, of more commonly used ropes.

New Washington and Baltimore Line.

The Monon Route has established a new through sleeping car line between Washington and Baltimore, via Cincinnati, by the C. & O., B. & O., and B. & O. Ry's. The sleeper is ready for occupancy in Dearborn Station at 9:30 P. M., and leaves at 2:45 A. M. daily, arriving at Washington at 8:47 and Baltimore at 7:55 A. M. the following morning. This schedule will go into effect Jan. 24th. As the sleeper goes through without change and the hours of leaving and arriving are most convenient, this will prove altogether the most comfortable, as well as the most picturesque route to the national capital. City Ticket Office, 232 Clark St., Chicago. Depot, Dearborn Station, Chicago.

Excursion Rates to Washington.

For the benefit of those desiring to witness the inauguration of the next president of the United States, the Baltimore & Ohio R. R. will sell excursion tickets at one fare for the round trip from all points on its lines in Ohio, Indiana and Illinois. Tickets will be sold March 1, 2 and 3, valid for return until March 8. Similar tickets, via B. & O. R. will be sold by all the railroads throughout the west. In addition to being the shortest and most direct line to Washington, the B. & O. passes through a region of greater scenic magnificence and historic interest than any in all America. Passengers also have the option of traveling via Akron and Pittsburgh or via Bellaire and Grafton either going or returning. The through trains of the B. & O. are vestibuled throughout, equipped with Pullman Sleepers and the Dining Car.

Chicago, Pa., "Herald": Richard Vensel reports One Minute Cough Cure the greatest success of medical science. He told us that it cured his whole family of terrible coughs and colds, after all other so called cures had failed entirely. Mr. Vensel said it assisted his children through a very bad siege of measles. One Minute Cough Cure makes expectoration very easy and rapid. C. D. Stevens.

MINUTES seem like hours when life is at stake. Croop gives no time to send for a doctor, delay may mean death. One Minute Cough Cure gives instant relief and insures recovery. The only harmless remedy that produces immediate results. C. D. Stevens.

Lost—A dear little child—who made home happy by its smiles. And to think, it might have been saved had the parents only kept in the house One Minute Cough Cure, the infallible remedy for croop. C. D. Stevens.

A torpid liver means a bad complexion, bad breath, indigestion and frequent headaches. To avoid such companions take DeWitt's Little Early Risers, the famous little pills. C. D. Stevens.

ALL the different forms of skin troubles, from chapped hands to eczema and indolent ulcers, can be readily cured by DeWitt's Witch Hazel Salve, the great pile cure. C. D. Stevens.

Influx of Organ Grinders.

About 300 organ grinders arrive in London every June from Italy, and leave again in October.—The Bits.

I have given Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a fair test and consider it one of the very best remedies for croop that I have ever found. One dose has always been sufficient, although I use it freely. Any cold in children contract yields very readily to this medicine. I can conscientiously recommend it for croop and colds in children.—GEO. E. WOLFF, Clerk of the Circuit Court, Ferdinand, Pa. Sold at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

Mr. Ward L. Smith, of Fredericktown, Mo. was troubled with chronic diarrhea for over thirty years. He had become fully satisfied that it was only a question of a short time until he would have to give up. He had been treated by some of the best physicians in Europe and America but got no permanent relief. One day he picked up a newspaper and chanced to read an advertisement of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhea Remedy. He got a bottle of it, the first dose helped him and its constant use cured him. For sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

A few months ago, Mr. Byron Every, of Woodstock, Mich., was badly afflicted with rheumatism. His right leg was swollen the full length, causing him great suffering. He was advised to try Chamberlain's Pain Balm. The first bottle of it helped him considerably and the second bottle effected a cure. The 25 and 50 cent sizes are for sale at C. D. Stevens' pharmacy, corner Main and Milwaukee.

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Have you neglected your kidneys? Have you contracted your nervous system and caused trouble with your kidneys and bladder? Have you pains in the joints, side, back, groins and bladder? Have you a flabby appearance of the face, especially under the eyes? Too frequent desire to pass urine? Williams' Kidney Pills will impart new life to the diseased organs, tonify the system, and make a new man of you. Pain is free. By mail 50 cents per box. Sent free. Address: WILLYS MED. CO., Prop's Cleveland, For sale by Geo. E. King & Co. druggists.

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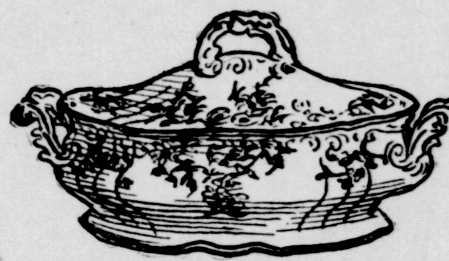
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The many fires of late have made people think about their insurance—the companies in which it is written, and the amount covered. The good business man does not forget that his property may go next. He does not expose himself to a crippling loss.

Loans placed on real estate HAYNER & BEERS. Room 10 Jackman block.



# Wednesday, February 17,

## Will Be Charity Day.

It is our purpose on that day to turn over our store to the following ladies, who will take entire charge of the selling of the goods, our regular clerks merely to show them where the goods are and wrap them up.

Mrs. Harry Carter,  
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Mrs. S. M. Smith,  
Mrs. Wm Ruger, Jr.,  
Mrs. Henry Edwards,  
Mrs. R. H. Barlow,

Mrs. Otis Brand,  
Miss Jennie Rowe,  
Miss Mary Snyder,  
Miss Melissa Chittenden,  
Miss Sarah Wilson,  
Miss H. M. Meyer,  
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Miss Nellie Leary,  
Miss Mamie Kniff,  
Miss Elizabeth Norcross,  
Miss Mabel Benedict,

Miss Mabel Jackman  
Miss Mae Stevens,  
Miss Ida Lunde,  
Miss Mary Paulson,  
Miss Matie Crouley,  
Miss Monica Gagan,  
Miss Bertha Wiselch,

Miss Esther Kaempflein,  
Miss Emma Kueck,  
Miss Agnes Shumway,  
Miss Maud McDonald,  
Miss Jennie Baker,  
Miss Alice Shearer,

Ten per cent. of the entire gross receipts for that day will be turned over to the Associated Charities for the benefit of the poor of our city.

\$ 1.00 worth of goods purchased at our store Wednesday means \$ .10 for the poor.  
\$ 10.00 " " " " \$ 1.00 "  
\$ 100.00 " " " " \$ 10.00 "

## BORT, BAILEY & CO.

### PUPPY CRUSADER.

Leader of a Canine Band Which Raided a Ship.

On one of our small coast survey schooners there was once a litter of puppies belonging to the captain, says the Youth's Companion. They were to be allowed to remain on board until old enough to leave their mother, but during their stay on board, what scurrying, scampering, frolicsome nuisances they were! The smartest and most energetic puppy of the lot was a little fluffy black and white spotted fellow called "Spotycus the Gladiator" and he led all the others in mischief. The puppies had their meals immediately after the ward room officers. Spotycus evidently considered it an infringement of his dignity to be relegated to the second table and so one day he led a crusade. It was a warm summer evening and the ward room officers were just being helped to their soup when there was a rush overhead, followed by a most fearsome succession of tiny barks. The officers looked up and beheld every one of the skylights overhead occupied by a little dog, reaching over as far as he could get, his mouth open and his little red tongue hanging out. The first lieutenant rose from his seat in horror, but, as if that had been the signal agreed upon, Spotycus slipped from his hold and plunged headlong into the tureen of hot soup. As in duty bound, the others followed his example, and for a while in the midst of sounds of breaking glassware, the thud and splash of falling bodies and a prolonged and horrible yelping, squealing and whining, it rained puppies. The next exploit was to fall overboard all together, being led, as usual, by the indomitable Spotycus, whose cheerful disregard of consequences was something appalling. They were rescued from a watery grave and wrapped up in hot towels, whence they escaped to eat a lot of poisoned flypaper. They became deathly sick, of course, and all that night had to be attended by two of the officers and most of the crew. After this they were sent ashore and the ship adopted a menagerie of kittens, having found puppies beyond control. Remembering the effect of poisoned flypaper on the digestive organs of small animals the officers threw away what they had of this and lay in a stock of the sticky kind. This, however, was hardly an improvement, for the kittens would go to sleep on it, and, waking to find their movements hampered in some mysterious manner that savored of witchcraft, they would give a wild yell and plunge up the companion ladder, a frightened, scrambling, sticky mess of furry brown paper.

### Advice to Children.

Boys and girls are apt nowadays to consider 5 cents a very small coin indeed, yet enough of these nickels together make a sum that is very imposing. It is estimated that New Yorkers going uptown and downtown, across town and around town, in the elevated and surface cars, in just one round year spend, in their 5-cent fares, over \$25,000,000! You who are boys and girls today have much more pocket money, even those of you who think yourselves poor, than did your grandfathers and grandmothers, or even your fathers and mothers. Money is more plentiful now than then; to save pennies now amounts to more than it did a quarter of a century ago. One of the sights of London, which some of you have probably seen, is the fine Thames embankment, built of solid stone masonry, its smooth, firm walls extending for miles along the river front. This splendid piece of work, which took years to build, was paid for by the "coal penny" of London. For every ton of coal which came into the city a penny toll was paid, and this money built the embankment. You see, many "littles" soon make a "big."—New York Times.

### All the Better.

He: "We seem to have got here rather too soon; the house is quite empty."  
She: "All the better; every one will be able to get a good view of me as they come in."—Pick-Me-Up.

Helen: "Oh, yes, he always thought the world of me. Before we were married he used to say he was willing to die for me."  
Nellie: "But he didn't."  
Helen: "Of course not. He was so thoughtful, you know. He said he did not dare to do it lest I should be unable to replace the loss."—Household Words.

### Very Wonderful.

"Oraite is the best man at telling an afternoon story that I ever heard."  
"That's so. He tells that story he got off to-day just as well as he did twenty years ago. It is something wonderful."  
—Indianapolis Journal.

### New Smokeless Powder.

Smokeless powder made of ammonia and two forms of potassium has been invented by a Californian.

### The Greatest Monarch.

Is a subject for pity if he is troubled with dyspepsia, while his poorest subject who diets properly may feel envied by a prince thus afflicted. The dyspeptic of every class and nation owe a debt of gratitude to Hostetter's Stomach Bitters, which rescues them from one of the most obstinate and troublesome complaints against which medical skill is directed. On this continent, in Europe and the Tropics, this sterling remedy is preeminently and justly popular, not only as a stomachic, but also as a means of preventing and curing malarial, rheumatic, kidney, bilious and nervous disorders. It improves appetite and sleep, hastens convalescence and the acquisition of vigor after exhausting maladies, and counteracts the infirmities of age. A wineglass full taken before retiring has a tendency to promote tranquil health by inducing a sound much coveted by nervous invalids.

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The only safe, sure and reliable Female Pills ever offered to Ladies especially recommended to married Ladies. Ask for DR. MOTT'S PENNYROYAL PILLS and take no other. Send for circular. Price \$1.00 per box, 6 boxes for \$5.00. DR. MOTT'S CHEMICAL CO., - Cleveland, Ohio. For sale by Harry E. Hanous, Janesville.

## ONLY TWO DAYS....

Left to sell our shoes. Saturday, Feb. 20, the counters must be clear. Hence we make

## ....Hurry-Up Prices

The assortment was good to begin with. Seven days' selling has broken it. We pay you for hunting sizes by making another deep price cut.

One lot of ladies' hand-turn Kid Shoes, Nos. 2½, 3, 3½, 4, well worth \$4. They go at **\$1.50**

One lot of ladies' Oxford Ties and Slippers, Nos. 21-2, 3, 3 1-2, worth 85c; the price is **.39**

One lot infants' Rid Shoes, regular 50c stock, go at **.23**

One lot ladies' Kid Shoes in different style toes, regular \$3.00 shoes. These sizes run 2 1-2, 3, 3-12, 4, 4 1-2. They go at **1.19**

Seventy-two pairs misses' Spring Heel Shoes, sizes 9, 10, 11, 11 1-2, 12, 12 1-2, 13, 13 1-2, 1, 1 1-2, 2. Real value of this lot is \$1. They go for **.49**

H. HOFFMASTER & SON.

18 South Main Street.

### Boy's Eye Torn Out by Owls.

Two large owls attacked Martin Simon, a 14-year-old boy of Willow Springs, Ill., and tore out his right eye, beside wounding him very painfully otherwise.—Ex.



# IN GOES THE KNIFE

The Bargain Knife, at that.

You All Know How Lowell's Bargain Knife Works

Prices Paralyzed; Public Pleased.

ONLY TWO WEEKS LEFT FOR MOVING OUR STOCK

Everything goes. We mark down marked-down prices. The goods are now priced afresh and ready for you; but we can't complete a list until tomorrow night. Better come before the list is printed. Tomorrow's ad. will double the crowd.

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## Richelieu Goods Are Ready!

Prepared to convince all comers as to their excellent qualities. The twenty-five different Richelieu packings, including Vegetables, Fruits, Jams, Jellies, Marmelades, Catsup, Mince Meat, Maple Syrup, will be tested. Hot Biscuits made from Perfection Baking Powder and Gold Medal Flour, with a cup of delicious, hot Diamond Mocha and Java Coffee, and hot Mince Pie to callers. The demonstration lasts all the week, and a cordial invitation is extended. **Sanborn's low prices are catching.** These canned goods are worthy of more than ordinary consideration. They won't last all the season, remember. The high quality and low prices won't keep them in our stock long.

### Canned Goods.

3 lb can California Yellow Peaches, 15c; doz.,	\$1.60
Small can Raspberries in Sugar Syrup, 5c; doz.,	50c
3 lb can Golden Seal Apricots in Sugar Syrup, fine goods, 15c; dozen,	1 50
3 lb can Tepee Blackberries, 10c; \$1.10 doz.; fine goods an immense trade.	
3 lb can California Black Cherries, 15c; dozen,	1 65
3 lb can Trilby Peaches, 10c; dozen,	1 15
3 lb can Aqua Fruta California Peaches, 13c; doz.,	1 40
3 lb can King Boinan Apricots, 10c; dozen,	1 10
Fancy can Figs.	20c
2 lb. can Lima Beans, 10c; fine stock, 3 cans,	25c
2 lb can Stringless Beans, 10c; 3 cans, 25c; per doz.,	90c
2 lb can Beauty Sugar Peas, 10c; 3 for 25c; dozen,	
\$1. A bargain.	
3 lb can Sealed "Hulled Corn, 10c; 3 cans,	25c
3 lb can Ruby Tomatoes, 10c, fine goods; 3 cans,	25c
3 lb can Genesee Pumpkin, 10c; 3 cans 25c; doz.,	\$1.00
Large can Asparagus,	35c
Large can Asparagus Tips,	25c
2 lb can Corn, good quality,	06c
3 lb can Spinach,	20c
Gallon cans Pears, per can,	25c

Gallon cans Plums, per can,	25c
Gallon cans Nectarines, per can,	25c
Gallon cans Apples, per can,	20c
5 gallons best Oil and Galvanized Can with faucet	95c
Fancy Salt Pork, per pound,	5c
Strictly Fresh Eggs, per dozen,	15c
Fancy, Fresh, Large Lemons, per dozen,	15c
12 lbs Oatmeal,	2 25
New Ungraded Prunes, per pound,	05c
Fancy Ring Apples, per pound,	5c
Finest A. B. C grade Butter and Oyster Crackers, lb	5c

### Flour

Washburn Crosby Co.'s (Minneapolis) Gold Medal, per sack....	\$1.10
(In ten sack lots, \$1.05.)	
Hard to Beat (Janesville Minnesota) Flour, per sack.....	1 00
(In ten sack lots, 95c.)	
You must realize that this price cannot last as the world's supply is short and it is only a question of time when wheat and flour will be higher.	

### Soap

We never sold so much soap in such a short time as we did the past week. It takes so well the prices will be continued.

7 bars Santa Claus.....	25c
7 bars Lenox.....	25c
7 bars O d Country.....	25c
7 bars Fairbanks' Brown.....	25c
7 bars Bluff City.....	25c
7 bars Cyc'one.....	25c
7 packages all kinds Washing Powder.....	25c

### Coffee.

1 lb Crushed Java, 22c; 5 lbs.....	\$1 00
1 lb Java Siftings, 22c 5 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb good Rio, 18c; 6 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb fancy Rio, 22c; 5 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb golden Rio, 28c; 4 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Santos and Maracaibo, 30c; 3 1/2 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Mexican Java, 30c; 3 1/2 lbs.....	1 00
(This is the finest Mexican Java money can buy)	
1 lb Java and Mocha, 35c; 3 1/2 lbs.....	1 00
1 lb Diamond Java and Moch, 38c; 3 lbs.....	1 05
(This is the perfection in coffee.)	

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